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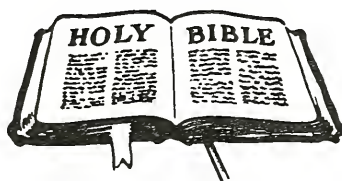
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ANNUAL
OF THE
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN
BAPTIST
ASSOCIATION
OF
NORTH CAROLINA

ONE-HUNDREDTH ANNUAL SESSION

HELD WITH
HINSHAW STREET
and
GORDON BAPTIST CHURCHES



The One-hundredth First Annual Session will be held Tuesday, October 3, 1972,
at New Hope Baptist Church.
ANNUAL SERMON..... Rev. Ralph Stanley

The Session on Wednesday, October 4, 1972, will be held at
Boiling Springs Baptist Church.
MISSION SERMON..... Rev. E. W. McMurray

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BRUSHY MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ANNUAL 1971
DEDICATED TO THE HONORABLE
JUDGE JOHNSON J. HAYES



Johnson Jay Hayes was born on January 23, 1886, in the New Hope Community of Wilkes County. Though his work and service were known and felt far beyond his home community, he remained throughout his life loyal to his beloved "State of Wilkes" and to the basic principles of honesty, industry, charity and helpfulness, all of which were a part of his upbringing in the foothills of the Blue Ridge.

Everyone knew Judge Hayes as a great jurist and federal judge in the Middle District of North Carolina. Most Baptists in the state knew of his loyalty to Wake Forest and of his strong convictions on a number of issues which he often expressed on the floor of the Baptist State Convention. Many in northwest North Carolina knew him as teacher of a Bible Class whose lessons were broadcast over the radio for many years. Those in his own church, Wilkesboro Baptist, knew of his interest in and dedication to the total life of the church and his support of all the Baptist institutions and agencies. A still narrower segment of those who knew him knew of the many ways in which he helped so many people. Yet, probably no one knew the completeness of this part of his life. He was indeed a "good and faithful servant" when it came to meeting the needs of the needy.

Judge Hayes was in the forefront of virtually every progressive movement for the betterment of Wilkes County and its people. Climaxing his efforts in this regard was the establishment of the Wilkes Community College of which he was a trustee and which named one of its buildings for him. He also wrote a definitive history of his native county entitled "The Land of Wilkes".

Judge Hayes died suddenly on October 22, 1970. He was survived by Mrs. Hayes and six children: Hayden, Johnson, Jr., Hadley, Mrs. Thor Wanless, Mrs. M.O. Elliot and Mrs. Robert C. Hubbard.

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ROCKY CREEK	
SHADY GROVE	
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Walnut Grove: Mr. Troy Carpenter, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls	28654
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MORAVIAN FALLS: Mrs. C.G. Glass, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro	28697
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NEW HOPE: Mrs. Jimmy Benton, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro	28659
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PILGRIM: Mrs. Bobby Deal, Rt. 1, Millers Creek	28651
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BETHANY: Mrs. Maggie Hayes, Moravian Falls	28654
BOILING SPRINGS: Debra Staley, Rt. 1, Purlear	28665
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CRICKET: Mrs. Twila Eller, Rt. 1, Millers Creek	28651
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GOSHEN: Miss Debbie Church, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro	28659
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MILLERS CREEK: Miss Debbie Jo Bumgarner, Rt. 1, Millers Creek	28651
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MT. ZION: Miss Derry Lynn Welborn, Rt. 1, Ferguson	28624
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OAKWOODS: Mr. Herman Gruber, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro	28697
PILGRIM: Mrs. Dennis Faw, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro	28697
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PLEASANT HOME: Miss Vickie Reeves, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro	28659
PURLEAR: Miss Rebecca Beshears, Purlear	28665
ROARING RIVER: Mrs. Hugh Sparks, P.O. Box 34, Roaring River	28669
SHADY GROVE: Miss Christine Eller, Rt. 1, Box 336, Wilkesboro	28697
STONY HILL: Miss Pattie Johnson, Rt. 1, Purlear	28665
WALNUT GROVE: Mrs. Doris Whittington, 1125 Brookwood Dr., Wilkesboro ...	28697
WELCOME HOME: Mrs. Tony Huffman, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro	28659
WILKESBORO: Mr. Jay Anderson, 301 C Street, N. Wilkesboro	28659
ZION HILL: Miss Elaine German, Boomer	28606

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The following code designates present status: PI, Part-time, Interim, etc.; CH, Chaplain; E, Evangelist; R, Retired; I, Inactive; AW, Associational Worker; SW, State Worker; CW, Convention Worker; O, Other Church Related Work.

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CALVARY	
CRICKET: Chesley Johnson, E, Rt. 1, Hays	
CUB CREEK: Woodrow Key, I, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro	28697
FISHING CREEK: Dewey Foster, O, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro	28697
GORDON: Johnny Dancy, I, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro	28659
Gilbert Osborne, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro	28659
GOSHEN: John Higgins, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro	28697
Ed. O. Miller, Rt. 1, Boomer	28606
Richard Byrd, Rt. 5, N. Wilkesboro	28659
LITTLE ROCK: Thurston Barnes, I, Rt. 1, Boomer	28606
MORAVIAN FALLS: N.C. Teague, R, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro	28697
Jack Boston, CH, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro	28697
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Joseph Holbrook, Rt. 2, Box 95, Moravian Falls	28654
Thurmond Kilby, Boomer	28606
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Ernest Williams, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro	28697
OAKWOODS: Fred Blevins, R, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro	28697
Ralph Miller, I, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro	28697
Bynum Triplette, I, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro	28697
Tommy Johnson, Westwood Hills, Wilkesboro	28697
PILGRIM: Earl Adams, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro	28697
Wade Phillips, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro	28697
PLEASANT GROVE: Warren Staley, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro	28697
Rex Eldreth, Millers Creek	28651
SHARON WALKER: Wake Payne, Rt. 1, Boomer	28651
Claude Soots, Wilkesboro	28697
Paul R. Laws, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls	28654
Ricky Osborne, Moravian Falls	28654
Earl Ellis, Lenoir	
WELCOME HOME: George Osborne, I, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro	28659
Michael Almond, Rt. 1, N. Wilkesboro	28659
WILKESBORO: I.V. Couch, AW, Rt. 4, Box 426, N. Wilkesboro	28659

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BEAVER CREEK: L.C. Matherly, Ferguson	28624
CRICKET: Jerry Winkler, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro	28659
FRIENDLY GROVE: Onnie Dancy, Rt. 1, Millers Creek	28651
LITTLE ROCK: Ray Parsons, Rt. 1, Boomer	28606
Robert Livingston, Boomer	28606
MT. PLEASANT: Micheal Walsh, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro	28697
PLEASANT HOME: Gary McNeil, Rt. 1, Millers Creek	28651
SHADY GROVE: Floyd Minton, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro	28697
SHARON WALKER: Kenneth Triplett, Rt. 1, Box 496, Boomer	28606
WALNUT GROVE: Jack Phillips, Moravian Falls	28654

MINISTERS ORDAINED DURING YEAR

CUB CREEK: James E. Wyatt, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro	28659
PLEASANT GROVE: Monroe Huffman, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro	28659

MINISTERS LICENSED DURING YEAR

CRICKET: Jerry Winkler, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro	28659
MT. PLEASANT: Michael Walsh, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro	28697
PLEASANT HOME: Gary McNeil, Rt. 1, Millers Creek	28651
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CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE I - NAME

This body shall be known as the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association of Wilkes County, North Carolina.

ARTICLE II - PURPOSE

It shall be the purpose of this Association to consider and promote measures for increasing the harmony, the intelligence, and the spiritual life of the churches and for developing and directing their energies and their contributions in the advancement of Christ's kingdom throughout the earth, always in harmony with the teachings of the New Testament. This Association shall be an auxiliary to the North Carolina Baptist State Convention in all its missionary, educational and benevolent work.

ARTICLE III - MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. The Association shall be composed of Missionary Baptists Churches desiring to affiliate with it. Each church may be represented in the annual associational meetings by its pastor and any other ordained ministers holding membership in it and living within the bounds of the Association. In addition to these each church may elect three (3) messengers for the first one hundred (100) members or fraction thereof, plus one additional messenger for each additional one hundred (100) members or major fraction thereof, provided, that no church shall be entitled to send more than ten (10) messengers.

Section 2. Any church desiring to become a member of the Association shall present through messengers chosen for that purpose, its request for membership on APPLICATION for MEMBERSHIP provided in the minutes along with a UNIFORM ASSOCIATIONAL LETTER provided by the clerk at any Annual Session of the Body. The Moderator shall refer the church to the Committee on New Churches for study and investigation. The church maintains for the year the status of Associate membership until the Committee makes its recommendation, if favorable, it will be received into full membership with all the rights and privileges at the next Annual Session: If the Association then votes to receive the church the Moderator shall extend the hand of fellowship to the messengers.

Section 3. Any church not representing itself in this body for three successive years, either by letter or by messengers shall be stricken from the roll of churches, unless satisfactory reasons for such failure are given.

Section 4. The Association shall withdraw fellowship from any church in its membership which shall be found to be disorderly in faith and practice, but not until

charges are brought against it by some other church and carefully considered by the Association.

ARTICLE IV - OFFICERS AND THEIR DUTIES

Section 1. The officers of the Association shall consist of a Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, Brotherhood Director, Woman's Missionary Union Director, Director of Music Ministry, School of Christian Studies Director, Superintendent of Evangelism, Librarian and Representatives for the following: Biblical Recorder, Baptist Hospital, Children's Home, Homes for Aging, Baptist Colleges, ROAU, Annuity Board, American Bible Society, Fruitland, State Missions and Foreign Missions. These shall be elected annually on the second day of the annual session before the noon recess adjournment by a majority of the members voting and shall begin their term of office upon final adjournment of the session at which elected and shall continue in office until the close of the next annual session. Any officer may succeed himself, except the Moderator who may not serve more than two years in succession.

The Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, Brotherhood Director, Woman's Missionary Union Director and the Superintendent of Evangelism, will be elected at the Executive Promotion Committee Meeting in August. After their election they will become a part of the Nominating Committee.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside at all meetings, preserve order, appoint all committees not otherwise provided for, and exercise all other duties of a presiding officer according to the principles of established parliamentary usage; he shall also, as far as his private duties may permit, visit and communicate with the churches between the sessions of the Association to encourage and assist them in their work for the kingdom. He shall appoint a Nominating Committee, and Committee on Committees at the annual meeting to serve for the following year. He shall be chairman of the Executive Committee, and ex-officio member of all other committees.

Section 3. The Vice-Moderator shall discharge the duties of the Moderator in his absence, or at his request, and be Vice-Chairman of the Executive Committee.

Section 4. The Clerk shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the Association; shall superintend their printing and distribution to the churches; shall send one copy each to the General Secretary of the Baptist State Convention, the Baptist Sunday School Board, Nashville, Tenn., the American Baptist Publication Society, Philadelphia, Pa., and to our denominational agencies or institutions requesting them; shall preserve a file of all Association records; shall provide at least one month prior to the annual session of the Association from letters for the use of the churches in making their reports to the Association and shall suggest to each church, based on the actual cost of printing, the amount needed for the printing and distribution of the Annual. He shall serve as Secretary of the Executive Committee.

Section 5. The Treasurer shall receive and disburse all funds of the Association, as directed by the Association, and make an itemized statement at each annual session.

Section 6. The Historian shall collect facts of interest to the Association and the cooperating churches, and shall make a report to each annual session of the Association.

Section 7. The Trustees shall be three in number. It shall be their duty to hold in trust any property, endowment or other securities of this Association, and to be representative of the Association in legal matters.

ARTICLE V - COMMITTEES AND THEIR DUTIES

Section 1. At each annual session of the Association the Moderator shall appoint a Nominating Committee composed of three members from as many different churches.

It shall be the duty of this committee to nominate and present to the Association at its next annual session a complete slate of officers and institutional representatives. After presentation of these nominations the Moderator shall give opportunity for nominations from the floor for any and all of these positions. Should vacancies occur by death or resignation, it shall be the duty of this committee to name a person to fill the vacant position until the next annual session of the Association, with the approval of the Executive Committee.

Section 2. At each annual session of the Association the Moderator shall appoint a COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES composed of six members from as many different churches. It shall be the duty of this committee to nominate and present to the Association at its next annual session members of all standing committees not otherwise provided for in this constitution. Should vacancies occur by death or resignation, it shall be the duty of this Committee to name a person to fill the vacant position until the next annual session of the Association, with the approval of the Executive Committee.

Section 3. THE EXECUTIVE PROMOTION COMMITTEE shall consist of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Director, Associational Church Training Director, Director of Music Ministry, Associational W.M.U. Director, Associational Brotherhood Director and all the pastors of churches within the Association together with one member from each church to be elected by the church. A quorum shall consist of ten (10) members of the committee, including four of the above mentioned officers, providing that either the Moderator or the Vice-Moderator is present. It shall be the duty of the Executive Promotion Committee to cooperate with the Baptist State Convention and with the churches of the Association in the promotion of any plans which may seem wise for the extension of Christ's Kingdom, and to take such steps as may be necessary to put into successful operation any plans adopted by the Association. The committee shall meet at least once each quarter at a time to be agreed upon or at the call of the Moderator. The officers of the Association shall be the officers of this committee with the Moderator serving as chairman.

Section 4. THE ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS COMMITTEE shall be composed of the Associational Sunday School Director, the Associational Church Training Director, the Associational Director of Music Ministry, the Associational W.M.U. Director, the Associational Brotherhood Director and three pastors, who along with the chairman, shall be nominated by the Committee on Committees. It shall be the duty of this committee to cooperate with the Associational Missionary in the extension of Baptist work throughout the Associational area, and advise with him in matters pertaining to his work and activities. It shall also be the duty of the committee, in the event of a vacancy in the position of Associational Missionary, to seek out and recommend to the Executive Promotion Committee and the Association a suitable person. It shall be the further duty of this committee to consult with the Finance Committee on matters of expense and to provide information to the Baptist State Convention officials which might be helpful in meeting missionary needs and to make recommendations to the Association in matters of this kind.

Section 5. THE FINANCE COMMITTEE shall be composed of six members with the Treasurer serving as EX-OFFICIO MEMBER. It shall be the duty of this committee to plan and recommend to the Executive Promotion Committee and the Association a financial budget for the coming year and to supervise the raising and expenditure of funds.

Section 6. THE COMMITTEE ON NEW CHURCHES shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to receive applications from churches seeking admission to the Association and, after careful investigation and deliberation, to report to the Association on such applications in keeping with the provisions of this Con-

stitution.

Section 7. THE CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to study and recommend any necessary change in the Constitution and bring reports as necessary to the Association.

Section 8. THE ORDER OF BUSINESS COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to arrange the program for the annual session of the Association and present the same for adoption at its opening session. The Moderator and the Superintendent of Missions will serve as special advisors on this committee.

Section 9. THE TIME, PLACE, AND PREACHER COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to receive or solicit invitations for the place of meeting and to recommend to the annual session a place or places of meeting, preacher, and an alternate for the Introductory Sermon, a preacher and an alternate for the Missionary Sermon and the dates for the next annual session.

Section 10. THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to study and report on such resolutions as may be referred to it and to present such other resolutions as may be appropriate at the annual session.

Section 11. THE COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL SERVICE AND CIVIC RIGHTEOUSNESS shall be composed of three members from as many different churches whose duty it shall be to study the social and civic problems of our area, along with relevant literature available through the Christian Life Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention, and to report to the annual session of the Association their findings along with recommendations for specific action by the Association and/or cooperating churches.

Section 12. THE STEWARDSHIP AND COOPERATIVE PROGRAM COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duties it shall be to encourage each church to teach and practice Bible stewardship, to give to associational missions, and to support world mission causes through the Cooperative Program.

Section 13. THE COMMITTEE ON EVANGELISM, composed of three members shall promote the work of evangelism in the Association in cooperation with the State Department of Evangelism. All plans and programs to be subject to the approval of the Association or its Executive Promotion Committee.

Section 14. THE CALENDAR COMMITTEE shall be composed of the following associational officers: Missionary, Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Brotherhood Director, Director of Music Ministry, and President of the Pastor's Conference. This committee shall prepare an associational calendar for the year, and present same to the Executive Committee, and to the annual meeting, for adoption. This calendar shall be included in the Annual.

Section 15. THE COMMITTEE ON ORDINATION, composed of six pastors, shall, when requested by a member church, assist with the examination and ordination of candidates for the Gospel Ministry. Churches wishing to ordain ministers are requested to place their candidates before the Committee at least thirty (30) days prior to the date set for ordination for examination on the following principles:

- a. Christian experience or conversion;
- b. Call to the ministry;
- c. Attitude toward denominational work and objects;
- d. Support of denominational causes;
- e. Moral and spiritual fitness;
- f. Doctrinal beliefs;
- g. Knowledge of the Bible.

Candidates are to be ordained with the assistance of this committee only, when they are serving a church or churches as Pastor or having been called as Pastor of a Missionary Baptist Church.

No candidate for ordination shall be considered by the committee who has not

been a member of a cooperating church for at least one year.

Candidates are to be urged to prepare themselves for the ministry as far as possible in Baptist Institutions of higher learning.

This committee shall not recommend any candidate for ordination whom they feel will not bring honor and esteem to the Lord, to Southern Baptists and to the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association.

Recommendations will be made by the Committee to the church where the candidate holds membership. The committee will assist the church in the ordination service at a time convenient to the church and to the members of the committee if such assistance is desired.

Section 16. THE COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS, composed of three members, shall bring a report at the annual meeting, leading in a Memorial service, in memory of those reported by the churches as deceased since the last annual meeting.

Section 17. PROPERTIES COMMITTEE. This committee shall be composed of three members and shall have the responsibility of supervision of all properties belonging to the Association and shall give attention to the condition of the properties owned by the Association. This committee shall make such repairs or improvements as deemed necessary. All matters of major repairs or improvements shall be referred to the Finance Committee for action and recommendation to the Executive Committee. This committee shall make at least one annual inspection of all properties owned by the Association.

ARTICLE VI - GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 1. The employment of an Associational Missionary shall follow the procedure outlined in Section 4, Article V, with the understanding that said person be extended an indefinite call and that a period of 30 days notice be given by either the missionary or the Association in the event of termination of such employment.

Section 2. All questions of order not herein provided for shall be decided according to some standard work on parliamentary practice, preferably ROBERTS RULE OF ORDER, Revised.

Section 3. Amendments to this Constitution may be made at any annual session upon vote of two-thirds of the members present, provided that such amendments be presented on the first day of the annual session and voted upon on the second day.

ARTICLE VII - AMENDMENTS

Section 1. ROTATING OF COMMITTEES. One-third of each committee shall be elected to serve a period of three years. Committees or parts of committees composed of organizational heads shall not be subject to rotation. No member shall succeed himself. Vacancies occurring during the year may be filled immediately by the Executive Committee.

Section 2. ELECTION OF OFFICERS. The Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, Brotherhood Director, Woman's Missionary Union Director and The Superintendent of Evangelism, will be elected at the Executive Promotion Committee Meeting 10/6/71

Section 3. SPECIAL ADVISORS. The Moderator and the Superintendent of Missions will serve on all committees of the association as special advisors. 10/6/71

BY-LAWS

1. The Association shall convene annually on
and continue two days or longer in the judgment of the Committee on Order of Business and subject to the approval of the Association.

2. Each session of the Association shall be opened with religious exercises, conducted by whomsoever the Committee on Order of Business may designate.
3. A majority of the members present shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of any business except the matter of making changes in the Constitution.
4. Any member wishing to speak shall rise and address the Moderator, shall confine himself strictly to the question under consideration, and avoid the use of unnecessary personalities.
5. The members shall observe toward the officers and towards one another such courtesies as are becoming to Christians.
6. The annual Associational year, for the purpose of reporting statistical information shall be September 1 to August 31, inclusive.
7. Amendments to the By-Laws may be made by a majority vote of members present at any annual meeting of the Association.

REVISED OCTOBER 15-16, 1969

PROGRAM

100 TH ANNUAL MEETING

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1971, HINSHAW STREET CHURCH

THEME: "THE FOUNDATION OF GOD STANDETH SURE," II Timothy 2:19

Moderator: Rev. E.W. McMurray

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| 9:30 a.m. | Hymn No. 380 "The Church's One Foundation" | |
| 9:35 a.m. | Scripture and Prayer, Welcome | Dr. W.L. Pitts |
| 9:40 a.m. | Report of Committee on Order of Business | Mrs. Hal Hawkins |
| | Adoption of Program | |
| 9:45 a.m. | Roll Call of Churches | Mrs. Albert Holman |
| | Recognition of New Pastors and Visitors | Rev. I.V. Couch |
| 9:55 a.m. | Nominating Committee Report | Mr. Cecil Porter |
| | Election of Officers | |
| 10:05 a.m. | Committee on Committees Report | Rev. N.C. Teague |
| | Election of Committees | |
| 10:15 a.m. | Executive Committee Report | Rev. E.W. McMurray |
| 10:20 a.m. | Treasurer's Report | Mr. Chalmer Dyer |
| 10:25 a.m. | Finance Committee Report | Mr. J.R. Priester |
| | Adoption of Budget | |
| 10:35 a.m. | Trustees Report | Mr. J.F. Jordan |
| 10:40 a.m. | Properties Committee Report | Mr. Rex Yates |
| 10:45 a.m. | Hymn No. 266 "Standing on the Promises" | |
| 10:50 a.m. | Baptist Foundation Report | Mr. C. Gordon Maddrey |
| 11:05 a.m. | Historical Sketches of Churches | Mrs. Albert Holman |
| 11:10 a.m. | Time, Place and Preacher Report | Rev. James Williams |
| 11:15 a.m. | Fruitland Bible Institute Report | Rev. Clyde Church |
| 11:20 a.m. | Special Music | Dr. D.R. Goodnow |
| 11:25 a.m. | Scripture and Prayer | Rev. Flake Mason |
| 11:30 a.m. | Message | Rev. Harold Rumpfelt |
| 12:00 noon | Adjournment for lunch | |

AFTERNOON SESSION

THEME: "UPON THIS ROCK I WILL BUILD MY CHURCH" Matthew 16:18

- 1:00 p.m. Hymn No. 283 "The Solid Rock"
- 1:05 p.m. Scripture and Prayer Rev. Sherrill Wellborn
- 1:10 p.m. Miscellaneous Business
- 1:30 p.m. History of Hinshaw Street Church Mr. J.F. Jordan
- 1:40 p.m. Sunday School Report Rev. Henry Morgan
- 1:45 p.m. Vacation Bible School Report Rev. Glenn Byrd
- 1:50 p.m. Church Training Report Miss Lunda Hendren
- 1:55 p.m. Brotherhood Report Mr. Ray Shumaker
- 2:00 p.m. Hymn No. 286 "O God, Our Help in Ages Past"
- 2:05 p.m. Woman's Missionary Union Report Mrs. Belva Gregory
- 2:10 p.m. Music Report Mr. Ellihu E. Sloan
- 2:15 p.m. Superintendent of Missions Report Rev. I.V. Couch
- 2:25 p.m. Cooperative Program Report Rev. Clyde Church
- 2:30 p.m. Message, State Convention Representative Mr. Robert H. Bruhn
- 3:00 p.m. Adjournment

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1971, GORDON CHURCH

THEME: "FOR OTHER FOUNDATIONS CAN NO MAN LAY THAN THAT IS LAID, WHICH IS JESUS CHRIST. I Corinthians 3:11

- 9:30 a.m. Hymn No. 263 "How Firm a Foundation"
- 9:35 a.m. Scripture and Prayer, Welcome Rev. Bryce Barton
- 9:40 a.m. State Missions Report Mrs. Rex Whittington
- 9:45 a.m. Home Missions Report Mrs. Lloyd Pardue
- 9:50 a.m. Foreign Missions Report Rev. Allen Laymon
- 9:55 a.m. Children's Home Report Mrs. J.C. Shaw
Representative
- 10:10 a.m. Christian Education Report Mr. Cecil Porter
Representative
- 10:25 a.m. Baptist Hospital Report Rev. J.C. Shaw
Representative
- 10:40 a.m. Hymn No 461 "Thou Whose Almighty Word"
- 10:45 a.m. Home for Aging Report Rev. Gwyn Blackburn
Representative
- 11:00 a.m. BIBLICAL RECORDER Mr. D.E. Elledge
Representative
- 11:15 a.m. History of Gordon Church Mr. J.F. Jordan
- 11:25 a.m. Special Music Mrs. Don Royal
- 11:30 a.m. Scripture and Prayer Rev. Joe Crouch
- 11:35 a.m. Message on Missions Rev. Mace Johnson
- 12:00 noon Adjournment for lunch

AFTERNOON SESSION

THEME: "JESUS CHRIST HIMSELF BEING THE CHIEF CORNER STONE," Ephes. 2:20b

- 1:00 p.m. Hymn No. 445 "Rise Up, O Men of God"
- 1:05 p.m. Scripture and Prayer Rev. Paul Shoupe
- 1:10 p.m. Miscellaneous Business

1:25 p.m.	Pastors Conference Report	Rev. Harold Rumpfelt
1:30 p.m.	Annuity Board Report	Rev. N.C. Teague
1:35 p.m.	American Bible Society Report	Rev. Joe Crouch
1:40 p.m.	Ordination Committee Report	Rev. Allen Laymon
1:45 p.m.	Hymn No. 426 "O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee"	
1:50 p.m.	General Board Report	Mr. Gordon Rhodes
1:55 p.m.	Resolution Committee Report	Mrs. Worth Bentley
2:00 p.m.	In Memoriam	Mrs. Bill Sturdivant
2:05 p.m.	Evangelism Report	Rev. Ralph Stanley
2:10 p.m.	Special Music	Mrs. Glenn Byrd
2:15 p.m.	Message "New Testament Evangelism"	Rev. Jimmy Hinson
		Department of Evangelism
2:45 p.m.	Adjournment until night session	

CELEBRATION OF BRUSHY MOUNTAIN BAPTIST CENTENNIAL

Wednesday, October 6, 1971

The Brushy Mountain Baptist Association celebrated its 100th anniversary on October 6, 1971 with an old-fashioned picnic at 6:00 p.m. and a Centennial Celebration Service at 7:30 p.m.

The picnic was held at Smoot Park in North Wilkesboro, N.C. Many people wore old-fashioned clothing including a few moustaches and beards and many long dresses and bonnets. Also, a number of people brought old-fashioned dishes such as crackling bread and buttermilk. A 100th birthday cake was provided for the occasion. The Picnic Committee was composed of Rev. Vaughn Brown, Chairman, Rev. Robert Wainwright, Mr. Rex Yates and Mr. Lee Church.

The Centennial Celebration Service was held at First Baptist Church, North Wilkesboro at 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Belva Gregory, Museum Chairman, had on display in the narthex of the Church a large display of old church-related items for people to view before and after the service. The Centennial Service was presided over by the outgoing Moderator, Rev. E.W. McMurray, pastor of the Moravian Falls Baptist Church, Mr. Jay Anderson, organist of Wilkesboro Baptist Church, played the old pump organ for the occasion. Mr. Ellihu Sloan, Minister of Music of First Baptist Church, North Wilkesboro, directed the music, including a volunteer choir, many of whom wore long dresses, bonnets, moustaches and beards. Only hymns in use in 1871 were used by the choir and congregation. The choir sang a cappella with the use of an old-fashioned tuning fork.

At the beginning of the service the Rev. Joe Crouch, pastor of Beaver Creek Baptist Church, oldest church in this association, presented a gavel made from a very old pew of the church to the Moderator. Later in the service a Historical presentation was given consisting of slides and narration covering the hundred year history of the association. Mrs. James Spicer and Mrs. W.K. Sturdivant, Sr. prepared this presentation and the narration was read by Mr. Dan Linney, head of the Drama Department of Campbell College and son of one of the early ministers of the association, Rev. W.E. Linney.

Speakers for the Centennial Service were Dr. W. Perry Crouch, general Secretary of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, and Dr. Ralph A. Herring of Charlotte, retired former pastor of the First Baptist Church of Winston-Salem, N.C. Dr. Crouch was presented by Rev. I.V. Couch, Superintendent of Missions of the Association. He spoke concerning the relationship of the association to the denomination and challenged the churches to continue support of the Southern Baptist World Mission Program. Dr.

Herring was presented by Rev. Henry Morgan, pastor of Wilkesboro Baptist Church. He brought an inspiring and scholarly sermon oncerning the Christian life as worship, service and commitment.

Expenses of the Centennial were met by contributions from several of the churches of the association and by an offering which was received at the service. Mr. Curtis Greene was Finance Chairman.

Publicity for the Centennial was ably handled by Mrs. I.V. Couch who also served as Secretary of the Centennial Committee. Mrs. Tam Hutchinson was Chairman of the Music Committee.

The Historical Presentation prepared for the occasion and other materials gathered by the association. Also, the top section of the 100th birthday cake is being frozen and will be kept for the 125th anniversary celebration.

Centennial Committee;

Rev. Henry Morgan, Chairman
Mr. J.F. Jordan
Mr. T.E. Story
Mrs. James Spicer
Mr. Curtis Greene
Mrs. W.K. Sturdivant, Sr.
Mr. Jay Brookshire

Mrs. Tam Hutchinson
Mrs. I.V. Couch, Sect.
Rev. Vaughn Brown
Mrs. Belva Gregory
Rev. I.V. Couch, Ex Officio
Rev. E.W. McMurray, Ex Officio

MESSENGERS REGISTERED 1971

Pastor of the church is listed first in bold type.

BEAVER CREEK: REV. JOE B. CROUCH, Mr. C.E. Johnson, Mrs. C.W. Ferguson
BETHANY: REV. MACE JOHNSON, Mr. J.C. Costner, Mr. Herman Moore, Mrs. Herman Moore

BOILING SPRINGS: REV. R.A. CALL, Mr. Argel Huffman, Mr. Turner Huffman, Mrs. Luther Parsons, Mrs. Lee Hutchinson

CUB CREEK: REV. C. GLENN BYRD, Mrs. Glenn Byrd, Jean Wyatt, Mrs. Hazel Barr, Mrs. Robert Johnson, Mrs. Violet Carson, Mrs. Willard Lane

DAVIS MEMORIAL: REV. WILEY CARROLL, Mr. Lloyd Harris, Annie Harris, Jettie Scott

EDGEWOOD: REV. FRANK WALKER, Margie Walker, J.W. Hayes, Mrs. Clifford Moore, Mrs. Felix Johnston

ELK: REV. JAMES WEAVER, Mrs. James Weaver, Mrs. James E. McNeil

FISHING CREEK: Elbert E. Love, Mrs. Maggie Waddell, Evie C. Brooks, Mrs. Carl Miller

GORDON: REV. BRYCE BARTON, Ella Mae Church, W.P. Carson, Bill Carson, Louise Carson.

GOSHEN: Leonard Miller, Mrs. Clay Crisp, Mrs. Arnold Bumgarner

HARMONY: Velma Edminston, Arvie Diew Broyhill, Mrs. Graham Smith

HINSHAW STREET: DR. W.L. PITTS, Ruth Lenderman, Virgie Sprinkle, Mrs. Lydia Huffman, Wiley Walker, Mrs. W.L. Pitts

LEWIS FORK: REV. SHERRILL WELLBORN, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Church, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Blackburn, Olin Greene, Albert Holman

LIBERTY GROVE: REV. PAUL SHOUBE, Jasper Chipman, Dharlie Reavis, Lillie Reavis, Mrs. J. Everette Hayes, Mrs. Ralph Taylor

LITTLE ROCK: REV. HAROLD RUMFELT, Mrs. Everette Griffin, Mrs. R.B. Livingston, Mrs. Harold Rumpfelt

MILLERS CREEK: Rev. Ralph Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. O.L. Phillips, Mrs. Clate Bumgarner,

Mrs. V.M. Church
 MORAVIAN FALLS: REV. E.W. McMURRAY, Rev. and Mrs. N.C. Teague, Rev. and Mrs. Jack Boston, Mrs. Caney Lowe, Mrs. R.G. Pennell, Mrs. Gilbert Foster
 MT. CARMEL: Rev. PAUL R. LAWS, Rev. and Mrs. J.G. Cardwell, Lila Pipes, Barbara Pipes
 MT. PLEASANT: REV. J.C. SHAW, Mary Hartzog
 MT. ZION: Mrs. Ray Welborn
 NEW HOPE: REV. VAUGHN BROWN, Robert R. Teague, Hubert Canter, Mrs. Clinton Eller
 N. WILKESBORO FIRST: REV. ALLEN LAYMON, Mr. and Mrs. D.L. Crook, Mr. and Mrs. W.K. Sturdivant, Sr., Cecil Lee Porter, Mrs. R.H. Llewellyn, E.E. Sloan, Bob Wainwright
 OAK GROVE: Virgil Stanley, Spencer Yates, Mont Nelson
 OAKWOODS: REV. FLAKE MASON, Miss Nora Laws
 PILGRIM: REV. CLIFFORD JOHNSON, Mrs. Kermit Whittington, Mrs. Jack Hayes, Mrs. Chester Brown, Mrs. Pete Williams, Gus Kerhoulas
 PLEASANT GROVE: Mr. and Mrs. Richard Parsons, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Sim Bullis, J.W. Nichols
 PLEASANT HOME: REV. GWYN BLACKBURN, Mrs. Ernest Walker, Mrs. Fern Haire, Mrs. Russell Trivette, Will Adams, Norris McGlamery, C.O. Lovette
 ROARING RIVER: Charlotte Reavis, Faye Sparks, Gertie Hoots
 SHADY GROVE: Mrs. Macy Minton, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Phillips
 SHARON WALKER: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hartley, Mrs. Hoyt Messick, Mrs. Willard Land, Mrs. Howard Ferguson, Mrs. Iris Ferguson
 STONY HILL: REV. EARL ADAMS, Mrs. C.E. Whittington, G.H. Shoun, Ella Mae Parsons, C.M. Hamby
 WALNUT GROVE: Jack Phillips, Margie Phillips, Mrs. Mack Brock, Mrs. John E. Joines, Mrs. Edith Lane, Bertha Hodges
 WELCOME HOME: Mrs. Bill Link, Mrs. June R. Eller
 WILKESBORO: REV. HENRY MORGAN, Rev. and Mrs. I.V. Couch, Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson, Mrs. Charlie Steelman, Mr. J.F. Jordan, Mrs. Roy Creasman, Mrs. Henry Morgan, Mrs. Archie Anderson, Mrs. Lloyd Pardue, Pearl Bumgarner
 ZION HILL: REV. MORRIS BAKER, Mr. and Mrs. Turner Church, Eva German, Vera Osborne, Bryan Osborne

The number of visitors within the association who registered was 106.

REGISTERED VISITORS FROM OUTSIDE ASSOCIATION

Marse Grant, BIBLICAL RECORDER; Horace O. Barefoot, Children's Homes; Eugene E. Poston, Gardner-Webb College; Calvin Knight, Baptist Hospital; C. Gordon Maddrey, N.C. Baptist Foundation; Spurgeon Hays, Peace Haven Baptist Church, Winston Salem; James Hayes, Winston Salem; Carole A. Siegel, University Baptist, Washington, D.C.; Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Blevins, Maple Grove Baptist, Stone Mtn. Assoc.; Rev. and Mrs. John R. Wright, Marianna, Florida; Bob Bruhn, N.C. Baptist State Convention; Henry S. Stroupe, Wake Forest University; Rev. Burl Green, Bethel Baptist, Boone; Rev. Jimmy Hinson, Dept. of Evangelism; Bruce Dearman, Mt. View Baptist.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH ANNUAL SESSION
OF THE
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
HELD WITH

HINSHAW STREET AND GORDON BAPTIST CHURCHES

October 5-6, 1971

NOTE: BOR is used in the Proceedings for the Book of Reports.

1. The 100th Annual Session of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association was called to order by the Moderator, the Reverend E.W. McMurray, at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, October 5, 1971 at Hinshaw Street Baptist Church. He extended a welcome to all visitors. The congregation was led in singing Hymn No. 380, Baptist Hymnal, "The Church's One Foundation" by Rev. Allen Laymon; organist E.E. Sloan.

2. Dr. W.L. Pitts, host pastor, extended a warm welcome to messengers and visitors and led in a period of worship using Responsive Reading number 48 from the Baptist Hymnal followed by prayer.

3. Mrs. Hal Hawkins presented the printed program, page 1 and 2, BOR, as the Order of Business Report, with one change. That the Pastors Conference Report be given at 11:10 a.m. and the Time, Place, and Preacher Report be given on Wednesday at 1:25 p.m. Mrs. Hawkins made a motion that the report be accepted. Motion seconded and passed.

4. Mrs. Albert Holman, Clerk, read the roll call of the churches. Final registration for the two days showed every church represented except Calvary, Cricket, Rocky Creek, and Friendly Grove. Attendance: 275 registered messengers and visitors from the churches and 17 visitors from outside the association, making a total of 292. There were 24 pastors present representing the churches. Rev. I.V. Couch introduced the new pastors who had come into the association during the year.

5. The report of the Nominating Committee, page 3, BOR, was presented by Rev. I.V. Couch for Cecil Porter. He made a motion to elect the Officers and Representatives as presented. Motion seconded, and there being no further nominations, passed.

6. Rev. N.C. Teague presented the Committee on Committees Report, page 4, BOR. He thanked the committee and the Supt. of Missions for their help in securing the committees. He ask each committee to check the Annual for the duties of each committee. He moved the report be adopted. Seconded and passed.

7. The Executive Committee Report, page 5, BOR, was presented by Rev. E.W. McMurray with a motion to adopt the report. Seconded and passed.

8. The Treasurer's Report, page 25 and 26, BOR, was given by Mr. Chalmer Dyer. A motion was made and passed to accept the report.

9. Mr. J.R. Priester gave the FINANCE Committee Report, page 27, BOR, and presented the budget for 1971-72. He thanked the committee for helping prepare the budget and made a motion that the report be approved. Motion was seconded and passed.

10. The Trustees Report, page 10, BOR, was given by Mr. J. Floyd Jordan with a motion to adopt the report. Seconded and passed. Mr. Jordan spoke on the parsonage improvements.

11. Digest of church letters, page 28, BOR, was presented by Rev. I.V. Couch. Moved for adoption, seconded and passed.

12. The Properties Committee Report, page 13, BOR, was presented by Rev. I.V. Couch for Rex Yates. He made a motion the report be adopted. It was seconded and

passed. Rev. Couch spoke on the location of the associational property and invited the people to come by and visit.

13. The Congregation sang Hymn No. 266, Baptist Hymnal, "Standing On The Promises", led by Allen Laymon, organist Ellihu Sloan.

14. The Moderator introduced the Officers for 1971-72 and turned the meeting over to Rev. J.C. Shaw for remarks. The Association voted to send official Greetings to Mr. J.C. McNeil, in the hospital in Winston Salem undergoing surgery, by Rev. Shaw.

15. A motion was made to accept the Baptist Foundation Report, page 9, BOR, by Rev. I.V. Couch and he presented C. Gordon Maddrey to speak on the Foundation. Motion was seconded and passed.

16. The Moderator recognized visitors from outside the association.

17. The Historical Sketches of Churches was given by Mrs. Albert Holman.

18. The Ministers Conference Report, page 19, BOR, was given by Harold Rumfelt. He made a motion the report be accepted. Seconded and passed. Rev. Rumfelt spoke on the purpose of the Conference and urged all ministers to attend.

19. The Fruitland Report, page 5, BOR, was presented by Rev. Mace Johnson with a motion for adoption. Motion seconded and passed. Rev. Johnson asked ministers who had attended Fruitland to stand. In his remarks he encouraged giving to State Missions.

20. Mrs. D.R. Goodnow sang "I Believe" and "To Be Used". She was accompanied at the organ by E.E. Sloan.

21. A welcome to latecomers by Dr. W.L. Pitts and an invitation to stay for lunch.

22. Rev. Flake Mason read Scripture, Romans 5:1-5 and led in prayer.

23. Rev. Harold Rumfelt preached the annual sermon. The topic of his message was "Salvation". Rev. Allen Laymon led in prayer.

24. A delicious lunch was served by the host church.

25. The afternoon session was called to order by the Moderator, Rev. E.W. McMurray at 1:00 p.m. The Congregation sang Hymn No. 283, Baptist Hymnal, "The Solid Rock" led by Allen Laymon, organist E.E. Sloan.

26. The Reverend Sherrill Wellborn read scripture from Psalm 40:1-3 and led in prayer.

27. During the Miscellaneous Business period, Dr. Pitts, chairman of the Constitution Committee, recommended the following be added to the Constitution: The Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, Brotherhood Director, Woman's Missionary Union Director and the Superintendent of Evangelism will be elected at the Executive Promotion Committee Meeting in August. After their election they will become a part of the Nominating Committee.

That the Moderator and Superintendent of Missions will serve on all committees of the association as special advisors.

Motion was made and seconded, to be voted on in Wednesday's session.

28. A report on the History of Hinshaw Street Church, given by J.C. Jordan was approved.

29. The Sunday School Report, page 7, BOR, was given by Rev. Henry Morgan. Report was accepted.

30. The Vacation Bible School Report, page 6, BOR, was presented for approval by Rev. Glenn Byrd. Motion seconded and passed.

31. Miss Lunda Hendren gave the Church Training Report, page 7, BOR, and moved it be accepted. Moved in second and accepted. The Moderator, in behalf of the association gave Miss Hendren a vote of thanks for her 27 years service as Associational Training Union Director.

32. The Brotherhood Report, page 9, BOR, was given by Bob Wainwright for Ray Shumaker. Report was adopted.

33. The Congregation sang Hymn No. 286, Baptist Hymnal, "O God, Our Help in

Ages Past."

34. The W.M.U. Report, page 10, BOR, was given by Mrs. Belva Gregory. She made a motion the report be accepted, Seconded and passed.

35. The Music Report, page 19, BOR, was presented for approval by E.E. Sloan. Report approved.

36. Rev. I.V. Couch presented the Superintendent of Missions Report, page 11, BOR, and made the motion it be accepted. Motion seconded and passed.

37. The Cooperative Program Report, page 12, BOR, was given by Rev. I.V. Couch for Clyde Church. Motion made, seconded and passed to accept report.

38. An inspiring message on the work of Baptist was brought by Mr. Robert Bruhn, representative from the N.C. State Convention.

39. The meeting adjourned with prayer by Rev. E.W. McMurray.

40. The second day of the 100th Annual Meeting of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association was called to order by the Moderator, Rev. E.W. McMurray at 9:34 a.m. Wednesday, October 6, 1971 at Gordon Baptist Church. The congregation sang Hymn no. 263 Baptist Hymnal, "How Firm A Foundation", led by Allen Laymon, Pianist E.E. Sloan.

41. Rev. Bryce Barton, host pastor, read Acts 2:42-47 and Acts 5:8 as the scripture text, led in prayer and welcomed the messengers and visitors.

42. The State Missions Report, page 18, BOR, was given by Mrs. Rex Whittington. She called attention to the goal of \$300,000 of which some would go to help replace the building at Fruitland recently destroyed by fire. The report was adopted.

43. The Home Missions Report, page 24, BOR, was given by Mrs. Lloyd Pardue with a motion it be accepted. Motion was seconded and passed.

44. Rev. Allen Laymon gave the Foreign Missions Report, page 13, BOR. Moved for adoption, seconded and passed.

45. The Childrens Homes Report, page 17, BOR, was given by Rev. J.C. Shaw for Mrs. Shaw. He spoke of their visit to the Children's Home. The report was accepted.

46. History of Gordon Church, page 20, BOR, was given by the Historian, Mr. J.F. Jordan, with a motion to adopt. Motion was seconded and passed.

47. Mr. Horace O. Barefoot, Children's Homes Representative, spoke for the Children's Homes.

48. Mr. Cecil Porter introduced Dr. E. Eugene Poston, President Gardner-Webb College. He read Matthew 5:20 and spoke on "Righteous Living". He recognized Dr. Stroupe from Wake Forest University. Mr. Porter moved the adoption of the Christian Education Report, page 23, BOR. Moved in second and passed.

49. Rev. J.C. Shaw made a motion to accept the Baptist Hospital Report, page 15, BOR. Report Accepted. Rev. Shaw introduced Rev. Calvin Knight of the Baptist Hospital who spoke to the report.

50. The congregation sang, "Blessed Assurance".

51. Homes for the Aging Report, page 15, BOR, was given by Mr. W.S. Hopkins, Representative. The report was accepted. Mr. Hopkins introduced Rev Jimmy Hayes.

52. Mr. C.E. Elledge made a motion to adopt the BIBLICAL RECORDER Report as printed, page 17, BOR, Motion seconded and passed. He introduced Mr. Marse Grant, editor of the BIBLICAL RECORDER, who spoke.

53. Special music by Mrs. Don Royal, "Calvary", accompanied on the piano by E.E. Sloan.

54. Rev. Joe Crouch read scripture, Acts 1:8 and led in prayer.

55. A message on missions was brought by Rev. Mace Johnson.

56. Prayer and blessing for the noon meal by Rev. John Wright.

57. A delicious lunch was served by the host church.

58. The afternoon session of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association was called to order by the Moderator, Rev. E.W. McMurray at 1:05 p.m. The congregation sang

“Stand Up, Stand Up, for Jesus”.

59. Rev. Paul Shoupe read Ephesians 2:11-22, from Good News For Modern Man, for scripture and led in prayer.

60. In the Miscellaneous Business period, the Moderator appointed a Nominating Committee composed of Rev. Joe Crouch, chairman, Mr. Lawrence Critcher and Mrs. Miles Helton; and the Committee on Committees composed of Rev. N.C. Teague, chairman, Rev. Paul Shoupe, Mrs. Virginia Jarvis, Mr. Clate Bumgarner, Mrs. Belda Gregory and Mrs. Rex Yates. Rev. John Wright spoke and told something of his work in Florida. The recommended change in the Constitution as stated on Tuesday was approved. Motion was made and passed to extend time for miscellaneous business ten minutes. A motion, made by Mr. J.F. Jordan, to dedicate the annual to the Honorable Judge Johnson J. Hayes, was seconded and passed.

61. Time, Place and Preacher Report was given by Rev. Joe Crouch for Rev. James Williams. He stated they had no place for the first day. Second day, New Hope. Annual Sermon by Rev. Ralph Stanley, Mission Message by Rev. E.W. McMurray. The dates of the meeting to be October 3 and 4. A motion was made, seconded and passed to accept the report.

62. Rev. N.C. Teague gave the Annuity Board Report, page 16, BOR, with a move for adoption. Report was adopted.

63. Rev. Joe Crouch made a move the American Bible Society Report be accepted as printed, page 22, BOR. Moved in second and passed.

64. Allen Laymon gave a report for the Ordination Committee. Report accepted.

65. The congregation sang, “Onward Christian Soldiers”.

66. The Resolutions Committee Report was given by J.F. Jordan for Mrs. Worth Bentley. Report accepted.

67. Rev. Henry Morgan made a motion that the clerk send official greetings to Mr. T.E. Story and Rev. James Williams. The motion was seconded and passed.

68. In the absence of Gordon Rhodes, the Moderator made a motion to accept the General Board Report, page 14, BOR. Report accepted.

69. “In Memoriam” was presented by Rev. Allen Laymon for Mrs. Bill Sturdivant.

70. Rev. Ralph Stanley gave the Evangelism Report, page 8, BOR. Report accepted.

71. Rev. I.V. Couch commended Gordon Church for their hospitality and also extended thanks to Hinshaw Street Church. He thanked everyone for their support and invited everyone to attend the Centennial Celebration. He introduced Rev. Jimmy Hinson, from the Dept. of Evangelism, to speak after the special music.

72. Special music by Mrs. Glenn Byrd, “Palms of Victory” dedicated to Mr. J.F. Jordan.

73. Message “New Testament Evangelism” by Rev. Jimmy Hinson. Scripture, Ephesians 2:19-20. He concluded his message with prayer.

74. Rev. E.W. McMurray introduced Mr. Herman Gruber, new Vice-Moderator. He then presented the gavel to Rev. J.C. Shaw, the new Moderator.

75. Rev. McMurray gave a special invitation to all to join in the celebration of the 100th Anniversary of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association by attending the old-fashioned picnic at Smoot Park at 6 p.m. and the Service at North Wilkesboro First Baptist at 7:30 p.m.

76. Meeting adjourned.

HISTORICAL SKETCHES OF CHURCHES

BEAVER CREEK: Remodeled the church including brick veneer, new front and steeple, memorial windows, and added two Sunday School rooms. Also had the furniture refinished and installed a sound system. Had a dedication service.

CRICKET: Licensed Jerry Winkler to preach, May 5, 1971.

CUB CREEK: Ordained James E. Wyatt for the ministry.

DAVIS MEMORIAL: Remodeled inside of Sanctuary, including carpet and new light fixtures.

ELK: Sponsored their pastors trip to the Holy Land. Made improvements on the parking area and carpeted beginners classroom and stairway.

GORDON: Moved and remodeled the Church building.

GOSHEN: On August 29, 1971, dedicated pastorium and had a note burning, clearing the indebtedness on the church building.

LEWIS FORK: Air conditioned the Sanctuary and enlarged the parking area.

OAK GROVE: Installed new pews and pulpit furniture, an outside bulletin board and a water cooler.

PILGRIM: Started a building fund for a fellowship hall. An organ was donated to the church.

PLEASANT GROVE: Ordained Monroe Huffman for the ministry.

ROARING RIVER: Installed wrought iron hand rails at front steps and fenced cemetery.

SHADY GROVE: Installed new lights in the Sanctuary.

SHARON WALKER: Installed new light fixtures in sanctuary, bought a new piano and built a picnic shelter.

WALNUT GROVE: Dedicated new basement Feb. 27, 1971. Bought a new piano for basement, water fountain, 25 hymn books and 24 chairs. Someone donated a refrigerator.

WELCOME HOME: Air conditioned Sanctuary

ZION HILL: Paid off note on the pastorium. Installed air conditioning in the sanctuary and electric heat and air conditioning in the pastorium.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

The Executive Committee of the Brushy Mountain Association met four times during the year.

At the November meeting the committee met at Wilkesboro Church with 17 present representing 10 churches. The application for state aid in the amount of \$1800. was presented and approved. The Moderator appointed a committee composed of Rev. Henry Morgan (Chairman), Rev. Harold Rumpfelt and E.E. Sloan to draw up guidelines for the Superintendent of Missions to be presented at the February meeting. The Calendar for 1971 was presented and approved. The Association sponsored the bloodmobile visit November 24.

At the February meeting, the Associational Sunday School Officers were elected. Preschool - Mrs. Perry Wheless; Children - Mrs. James Cooke; Youth - Mrs. Roscoe McNeil; Adults - Mrs. I.V. Couch; VBS Director - Rev. Glenn Byrd. The guidelines for the Superintendent of Missions were submitted and approved. The Centennial Committee recommended that the date of the Annual Association Meeting be set for October 5 and 6 and that an old fashioned picnic be held. The recommendations were accepted. Rev. Couch reported that the bloodmobile visit of November 24 received 114 pints of blood and recommended that the association sponsor the visit again May 27. Recommendation accepted.

At the May meeting Rev. J.C. Shaw was elected chairman of the Bloodmobile Program.

At the August meeting, Rev. Allen Laymon recommended that Rev. Henry Morgan take the place of Gordon Rhodes on the General Board. Recommendation accepted.

Respectfully submitted,
E.W. McMurray

REPORT ON FRUITLAND BAPTIST BIBLE INSTITUTE

The report from Gary Harthcock shows a total enrollment this year of 197, with 148 students from North Carolina and 40 from South Carolina. The age distribution is interesting with 155 of the students in the 20-39 year-old bracket and 33 students in the 40-49 range.

There are 175 married students which is not surprising because of the majority of the students being in the 20-39 year-old bracket. Commuting students number 133 which leaves 64 in the dormitory. Sixty-six of the men serve as pastors and three as supply pastors. Seventy-eight are employed in public work.

It was encouraging to see that 122 of this year's student body have completed up through high school, with the student body level of school work being about 10th grade. Carolina Association with 28 and Buncombe with 11 have the largest number of students, although there are 44 associations represented in the student body.

An early morning fire August 30 destroyed much of the Institute's Justice Building which housed all the classrooms and auditorium. The building has been declared a total loss but was insured for only \$27,000 - the maximum available. Replacement cost of the Justice Building was estimated at \$300,000. The goal of the annual State Missions Offering was increased from \$250,000 to \$300,000 to provide construction funds. Many churches have already responded to the added appeal with increased pledges. An architect has been hired and plans are being prepared for the new structure.

Classes at the institute are now being conducted in the J.C. Canipe Administration Building and in the education space of nearby Fruitland Baptist Church.

Respectfully submitted,
Clyde Church

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

The State VBS Clinic was conducted at Wingate College January 6-7, 1971. Attending from the Brushy Mountain Association were:

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| I.V. Couch - VBS Director | E.W. McMurray - Grades 5-6 |
| Henry Morgan - Adult | Mrs. Hal Hawkins - Grades 3-4 |
| Bob Wainwright - Grades 10-12 | Mrs. Jim Spicer - Grades 1-2 |
| Mrs. I.V. Couch - Grades 7-9 | Mrs. Glenn Byrd - Preschool |

A workshop for pastors and VBS Directors was conducted at Hinshaw Street Church February 11, 1971. Those who attended the state clinic presented the material for 1971 VBS.

The clinic for all VBS workers was conducted April 18, 1971 at Wilkesboro Church. Classes were taught by those who had studied at the state clinic. Twenty-five churches were represented. Total attendance was 125.

CHURCH	NO. ENR.	REPORT TO ASSOC.
Beaver Creek	45	Yes
Bethany	41	No
Boiling Springs	60	Yes
Calvary		
Cricket	91	No
Cub Creek	110	Yes

Davis Memorial	44	No
Edgewood	54	Yes
Elk	60	No
Fishing Creek	95	Yes
Friendly Grove	32	No
Gordon	No school	
Goshen	52	Yes
Harmony	69	No
Hinshaw Street	93	Yes
Lewis Fork	78	Yes
Liberty Grove	93	No
Little Rock	48	Yes
Millers Creek	139	Yes
Moravian Falls	99	Yes
Mount Carmel		
Mount Pleasant	93	Yes
Mount Zion	58	Yes
New Hope	44	No
N. Wilkesboro First	235	Yes
N. Wilkesboro Second	88	Yes
Oak Grove	87	Yes
Oakwoods	100	No
Pilgrim	82	Yes
Pleasant Grove	169	Yes
Pleasant Home	56	Yes
Purlear	35	Yes
Roaring River	42	Yes
Shady Grove	60	Yes
Sharon Walker	87	Yes
Stony Hill	46	Yes
Walnut Grove	129	No
Welcome Home	107	Yes
Wilkesboro	182	Yes
Zion Hill	98	Yes
Northside Mission	84	Yes
Hillcrest Mission	53	No
Rocky Creek	No school	

Number of churches not having school 2.

Number of churches having school but not reporting to association 11.

Respectfully submitted,
Glenn Byrd

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

Your Sunday School Director took office last fall without a slate of officers to help him. By the time of the January Executive Committee Meeting of the association the following people had been enlisted and were elected by the Executive Committee:

Henry Morgan, Associational S.S. Director
Rev. Glenn Byrd, Vacation Bible School Director
Mrs. L.V. Couch, Adult Director

Mrs. Roscoe McNeil, Youth Director
Mrs. James Cook, Children's Director
Mrs. Perry Wheless, Pre-School Director

A group of workers from our association attended the Statewide V.B.S. Clinic at Wingate College in January. These returned to the association and on April 18, 1971 conducted an Associational VBS Clinic at Wilkesboro Baptist Church. This clinic was well attended.

A complete slate of workers was enlisted from our association to attend the regional Leadership Readiness Conference sponsored by the State Sunday School Department at College Avenue Baptist Church on March 10, 1971. This group of clinicians returned to the Brushy Mountain Association and on April 5 conducted an Associational Leadership Readiness Conference. Due to revivals and other conflicting meetings the attendance was rather poor. Any associational meeting of this nature for 1972 will be planned at an earlier date in order to avoid so many conflicts.

The chief emphasis of an associational nature in Sunday School for the coming year will be the REALIFE Conference. Regional conferences will be conducted to prepare associational leadership to come back to the association and conduct an Associational REALIFE Conference.

On September 16, 1971 the area Sunday School Convention was held at First Baptist Church, Morganton. A number of people from our association were in attendance.

The associational Sunday School officers offer assistance to any church desiring it. Please call on us.

Respectfully submitted,
Henry Morgan, Director

CHURCH TRAINING REPORT

Our year got off to a good start with a Leadership School November 16-19, 1970. Pastors and Directors were taught by Rev. I.V. Couch; Adults by Mrs. I.V. Couch; Youth Workers by Mrs. Jack Ferguson; Children Workers by Rev. E.W. McMurray and Preschool Workers by Mrs. Perry Wheless. A large number of leaders from several churches attended the school.

The Theme of our M Night meeting was "Train to Make a Difference" which was forcefully presented in a message by Rev. I.V. Couch, our Superintendent of Missions. Total attendance for meeting was 157 with 15 churches represented. The largest attendance was from Goshen Church. They had 62 present and their youth choir presented a very fine program of music.

Only one tournament was held this year in our March meeting. This was the Scripture Exploring Drill. Julia Holder, Cynthia Brown and Jeffrey Johnson, all of Moravian Falls Church, participated and were winners. They also participated and were winners in Regional Meeting, May 21 at Taylorsville.

Youth Night got under way with a barbecue supper, March 20, 1971, at Wilkesboro Church. The Teen Crusaders from East Taylorsville Baptist Church lead a very fine service of worship as they sang, gave testimonies and read scripture. The total attendance was 134 with 14 churches represented.

Many of our churches are going forward with a fine program of training. Others need to do a better job. All pastors who have not had a New Member Orientation Class during 1971 should plan one at once, as the new members who have come into church during recent revivals and throughout the year need this study.

Respectfully submitted,
Lunda Hendren
Assoc. Church Training Director

EVANGELISM REPORT

All Christians need to thank God for the renewed interest among youth in evangelism. This was evident during the Youth Evangelism Night this past February 2 when almost 20,000 youth and adults overflowed the Greensboro Coliseum and War Memorial Auditorium. 1,519 decisions were made by these youth. Also many youth in churches across our state are involved in witnessing for Christ in unique ways.

There is tremendous interest in North Carolina and the entire Southern Baptist Convention in the new WIN materials on lay witnessing and the one week Lay Evangelism Schools. Over twenty-five associations have already started specific planning toward a one week Lay Evangelism School in their area. The first Lay Evangelism School sponsored by the Division of Evangelism will be November 1-7 in the Mecklenburg Association. Other one week dates have already been confirmed in several associations. Jesus reminded all Christian laymen of our task in Luke 24:48 - "And ye are witnesses of these things". Thousands of laymen and youth will respond if they are properly challenged and trained.

The Division of Evangelism in cooperation with our Brotherhood Department and the N.C. United Methodist Conference will sponsor four Regional Evangelism Conferences for Baptist and Methodist men during October 18-19 and 21-22, 1971 across the state. Lay evangelism will be the emphasis of these evening meetings. Dr. Ben Johnson of Atlanta, Georgia who has assisted Dr. Billy Graham and Dr. Ken Chafin in several conferences, and Dr. Ralph Neighbour of Houston, Texas will be the guest soloist. Laymen will preside, share personal testimonies and have the Scripture and Prayer.

The 26th Statewide Evangelism Conference will be February 7-9, 1972 at the Cumberland County Memorial Auditorium in Fayetteville.

The next Statewide Youth Evangelism Night will be on Friday evening, August 18, 1972 at Greensboro Coliseum.

Remember to pray earnestly for the non-Christians in North Carolina and around the world that through our efforts together the Holy Spirit may lead many persons to commit their lives to Jesus Christ.

Respectfully submitted,
Ralph Stanley

ASSOCIATIONAL FOUNDATION REPORT

The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc., was organized in 1920. It has a fifteen member Board of Directors elected by the Baptist State Convention. The policies and procedures of the Foundation and the support of the same is in the hands of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina. In other words, this is your Foundation, and you should know more about its services and activities.

During the past twelve months, the Foundation has had a gradual growth, in that several individuals and churches have made contracts with the Foundation to accomplish specific purposes such as: supporting an agency or institution of the Baptist State Convention, the Southern Baptist Convention, and world-wide objects. In one or two instances, individuals through their wills have added to existing memorials that were established during the lifetime of the donor. The Foundation stands ready to render service to individuals and churches as their request are made known. We wish to serve you.

Respectfully submitted,
C. Gordon Maddrey

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

Very few churches in the Brushy Mountain Association have availed themselves of the many benefits that can come to a church through the Brotherhood Program. Benefits such as men and boys learning about, giving to, and taking part in missions. The Brotherhood has many well prepared materials that will help churches to carry on meaningful programs for men and boys. Your Associational Brotherhood Director and R.A. Leader stand ready to help any church in using the Baptist Men and R.A. materials.

Meetings held in the association this year to promote Brotherhood work were:

1. An R.A. Counselors Workshop at Oakwoods Baptist Church led by the Associational R.A. Leader.
2. Associational R.A. Track Meet held at Wilkes Central field. R.A.'s from First Baptist and Welcome Home participated in the meet. Winners from this meet took part in the State R.A. Track Meet at Wake Forest University.
3. The R.A. Leader worked with the W.M.U. and the Superintendent of Missions to hold a Day Camp for R.A.'s and G.A.'s
4. A Baptist Men and Boys Round-Up was held at the YMCA on July 26 with J. Billy Graham, missionary to Tiawan, as the speaker.
5. The Superintendent of Missions, I.V. Couch, the Brotherhood Director and the R.A. Leader attended a Regional Planning Meeting at the Dodge House Restaurant led by Brotherhood Leaders from the State Brotherhood Department.

Respectfully submitted,
Ray Shumaker, Brotherhood Director
Bob Wainwright, R.A. Leader

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION REPORT

The Associational Council of the Woman's Missionary Union has met quarterly during the year to report, plan, and promote various phases of the work.

One event the Missionary Union sponsored was the open house at the associational parsonage and office, thus giving people an opportunity to observe the improvements that have been made on the buildings.

The Annual WMU Meeting was held April 19, at the First Baptist Church of North Wilkesboro at which time the film, "Bill Wallace of China", was shown. It was conservatively estimated that four hundred people attended. A full slate of WMU officers were elected.

The WMU, in conjunction with the associational Brotherhood, sponsored the R.A. and G.A. World Mission Camp, May 15, for all third graders. Rev. I.V. Couch, Superintendent of Missions, graciously and efficiently served as camp director. Approximately seventy boys and girls attended.

Three council members attended the WMU Week at Ridgecrest and some of the members have attended various training sessions at Camp Mundo Vista.

Plans for a WMU Leadership Training Course, to be held at Wilkesboro Baptist Church, October 18 and 19, are being processed.

We humbly pray that all pastors urge the women of your church to attend the above Training Course.

Respectfully submitted,
Belva Gregory, WMU Director

TRUSTEES REPORT

The trustees beg leave to make the following report on the associational parsonage, office and land purchased in October 1955, as following:

Expenses for the work done on the parsonage:

C and C Tile Company - \$5.00; Wilkes Paint and Glass Company - \$3.28; Sherwin Williams Company - \$92.20; Lowes of North Wilkesboro - \$277.38; Quality Builders and Supply Co. - \$26.57; Wilkes Paint and Glass Co. - \$5.94; Vannoy and Lankford Plumbing Co. Inc. - \$445.81; Parker Electric Co. - \$320.59; Sherwin-Williams Company - \$174.84; Sherwin-Williams Company - \$308.49; Parker Electric Company - \$59.02; Claude W. Foster Construction - \$648.00; Quality Builders and Supply Co. - \$18.96; Sherwin-Williams Company - \$7.72; Watkins and Burris - \$113.00; Sears, Roebuck and Co. - \$36.26; Quality Builders Supply Co. - \$7.16; Lowes of North Wilkesboro - \$22.61; Sherwin-Williams Paint Co. - \$101.65; Quality Builders and Supply Co. - \$8.40.

Total amount in all paid out - \$2,902.35.

Respectfully submitted,

J.F. Jordan

Hal B. Hawkins

W.K. Sturdivant

SUPERINTENDENT OF MISSIONS REPORT

From the earliest beginning the Association has been the churches in a working fellowship that aids in the spreading of the gospel in keeping with the Great Commission. The Association was never intended to be a tent to shelter the church for the sake of prestige, it was intended to give the church the opportunity to work with other churches in fulfilling the Commission of Christ.

The task of the Superintendent of Missions as I see it is to be the co-ordinating force, helping the association fulfill its task. Another task of the Superintendent of Missions is to be the link in the chain of Baptist work to interpret to the churches the programs of the Southern Baptist Convention - aware at all times that this task is not that of commanding, but that of suggesting. He does this with the hope that the church will be willing to work together for the expansion of Christ's Kingdom to all the world.

If the Church and the Association do not have these common interests listed above as their objectives, plus many others, they are missing the mark. According to the records many of our churches have not come to the awareness that we are to be "laborers together with God". My prayer is that this day will soon come in our association - that the words above will not be merely a quote but a reality.

Messages delivered	63
Revivals in the Association	4
Revivals outside Association	2
Funerals	2
Missions Studies	4
January Bible Study	4
V.B.S. Meetings	6
Association Meetings	45
Meetings outside Association	20
Conferences, Individual and Group Meetings	
Committee Meetings	198

Total Conferences and Meetings	352
Hours on Parsonage (approximately)	100
Total Mileage	11,390

It is impossible to put on paper all that one does in a year. This I have not tried to do, but I have tried to give you some idea of my work.

I have been involved in other activities within the county:

1. Helping promote two bloodmobiles sponsored by the Association.
2. Since June I have been serving as Chairman of the Red Cross Blood Program, as well as serving on the Board of Directors of the Red Cross.
3. Serving as Director of the W. Kerr Scott Reservoir Ministry, going each Saturday afternoon to the camp area and giving out handbills and witnessing as I invited the people to the Sunday services.
4. Being involved in the Inter-faith Ministers Conference.

Respectfully submitted,
I. V. Couch
Superintendent of Missions

COOPERATIVE PROGRAM REPORT

Is there a church you can lead to increase Cooperative Program giving by \$5,000 or \$10,000? or \$15,000? Does your association have 100% of the churches contributing through the Cooperative Program? Anson and Yates associations did in 1970. More than 1,000 churches in North Carolina increased Cooperative Program giving last year by 10% or more over the previous year. As a dedicated Christian Steward will you try to lead your church to increase the percentage of the offering plate dollar given through the Cooperative Program?

A pastor said during a Fellowship Dinner in his church, "My hands reach 25,000 miles, or rather the Lord's hand through me, when I lay the dedicated tithe of my income in the offering plate of our church".

"But how can I reach this distance? By joining hands with others."

"You see, our church gives 32¢ of every undesignated dollar through the Cooperative Program."

Our Lord set a wonderful example for us at this point. He started with education. He taught the apostles and they proclaimed the gospel around the world. The Cooperative Program is an effort to follow this example.

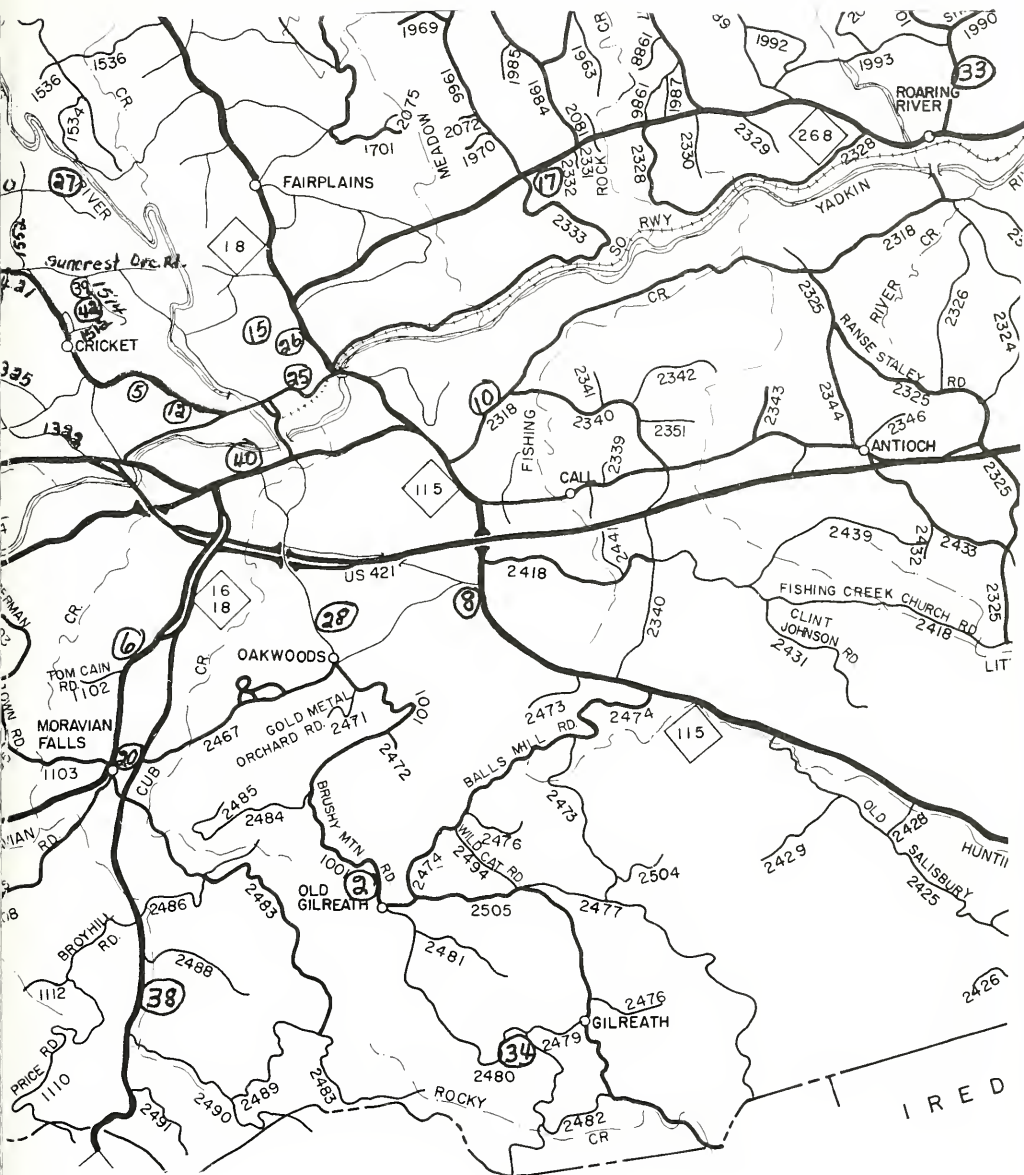
"Since the Cooperative Program helped to educate and now pays the salary of over 6,000 missionaries around the world, I am able to reach around the 25,000 miles of the earth as I tithe through our church," concluded the pastor.

You can reach 25,000 miles as your church gives a worthy portion of each worshiper's contribution through the Cooperative Program.

North Carolina Baptists believe that the Cooperative Program is the best way to do mission work because:

1. It is motivated by the Great Commission. The Cooperative Program did not create cooperation on the part of Baptist churches; the desire of the New Testament churches to give the gospel to the world created the Cooperative Program (Luke 24:45-48; Acts 1:8).
2. It is rooted in New Testament practices (II Cor. 8 and I Cor. 16:1-3).
3. It is the product of generations of the best Baptist leadership.
4. It gives hope for the future.





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| 2 Mt. Pleasant | 29 Pilgrim | 36 Sharon Walker |
| 3 Mt. Zion | 30 Pleasant Grove | 37 Stony Hill |
| 4 New Hope | 31 Pleasant Home | 38 Walnut Grove |
| 5 N. Wilkesboro First | 32 Purlear | 39 Welcome Home |
| 6 N. Wilkesboro Second | 33 Roaring River | 40 Wilkesboro |
| 7 Oak Grove | 34 Rocky Creek | 41 Zion Hill |
| 8 Oakwoods | 35 Shady Grove | 42 Assoc. Office |

The Moderator, the Convention's General Board member, our Superintendent of Missions, and your Cooperative Program Representative in this association, plus your Regional Cooperative Program Consultant and R. Tom Greene of the Baptist State Convention office are delighted to offer friendly service to aid your aim of increased Cooperative Program sharing. On your invitation we stand ready to assist in every possible way.

Respectfully submitted,
Clyde Church

PROPERTIES COMMITTEE REPORT

The Constitution of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association in Article V, Section 17 provides that the Properties Committee shall make at least one annual inspection of all properties owned by the association. During the year of this report the associational property has been inspected on three different occasions. The results of these inspections are as follows:

1. The grounds were neat and well groomed.
2. The remodeling of the parsonage has basically been completed.
3. The parsonage living quarters were, on each visit, clean and in good order.
4. Evidence of excellent housekeeping practices were noted.
5. Out buildings have been repaired to the state of good condition but a few minor repairs are yet to be made.
6. The associational office building is in good condition. The interior was found to be in good order and functionally arranged.
7. The Associational Missionary and his wife were found to be very conscientious in regard to proper care of the associational property.

In summary, the Properties Committee believes that a period of frustration in regard to the association's property has ended. Your property is in good hands and with a reasonable amount of money budgeted each year for maintenance, no serious problems are anticipated in the near future.

Respectfully submitted,
Rex Yates, Chairman

FOREIGN MISSIONS REPORT

The appointment of 182 missionaries in 1970 brought the year to a close with 2,501 missionaries under assignment for service in 76 countries. There are also 176 emeritus missionaries. The 182 missionary appointments included 98 career missionaries, 18 missionary associates (2 had been appointed previously, but for reasons of health never served), 64 journeymen, and 2 special projects; 6 of these were reappointments, and 6 had a prior record of service under one of the auxiliary programs. The missionary total of 2,501 at the close of 1970 was a net gain of 1,120 over the total of 1,381 on January 1, 1960. There have been 4,589 missionaries appointed since the Foreign Mission Board was organized in 1845. A total of 344 missionary journeymen have been sent to the field since the program was begun in 1965.

Missionaries appointed in 1970 were assigned for the following types of work. General evangelism, English-language pastors, religious education promotion, music promotion, school chaplain, theology teachers, Woman's Missionary Union workers, conference director, elementary teachers, kindergarten workers, secondary teachers, college tutor, teacher for missionary children, student technicians, physiotherapist, agricultural evangelism, graphic arts coordination, recreation worker, public relations

worker, business managers, bookkeeper, librarian, secretary, and social workers.

It is recognized that this decade is the major opportunity for further missionary advance. Studies indicate that major growth in the nation's population during this decade will be between the ages of 25 and 35, where a total increase of 11,000,000 in this age bracket is expected. This is the age when people are appointed for missionary service. Shortly after the close of this decade, the number of missionary retirements annually will greatly increase and will continue to rise for a number of years.

Financial reinforcement will be of major importance throughout the decade in order to sustain this growth. Approximately 50 percent of the Southern Baptist Convention Cooperative Program funds are made available annually for foreign missions. This is the basis whereupon sustained advance can be built. The Foreign Mission Board earnestly trusts this percentage of giving can be maintained throughout the years to come.

Respectfully submitted,
Allen Laymon

GENERAL BOARD REPORT

The General Board of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina has the responsibility to act for the Convention between annual sessions, and to provide supervision for all agencies and institutions fostered by and receiving support from the Convention.

The General Board also has charge and control of all the Convention work, including missions, evangelism, education, benevolences and all other general activities, except those which are committed by Charter to the Trustees of the institutions and agencies.

General Board meetings were held during the Convention year at Meredith College this past January; Chowan College in June and Camp Mundo Vista in October.

Serving as Board Officers are: James Cammack, Fayetteville, President; Dr. John Lesis, Raleigh, Vice President; Miss Ruth Williams as Staff Secretary and Mrs. Charles Hillard, Secretary.

The Baptist Convention of North Carolina is supported by the cooperative program. The present over-all budget for 1971 is \$7,350,000 of which 33.34 percent has been allocated to the Southern Convention; 25.60 percent to Christian Education; 11.60 percent to social service institutions; 26.07 percent to State Missions and 3.39 percent administration.

The proposed budget report also points out that total church gifts will approach \$83,500,000 during 1971.

Various institutions of the Convention continue to grow with most of them enlarging their work through funds from individuals and foundations; however, of course they continue to depend on the cooperative program to provide funds for their operating budgets.

Respectfully submitted,
Gordon Rhodes

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOSPITAL REPORT

Your Baptist Hospital admitted 17,557 persons in 1970 for a total of 150,174 days of care. In addition, there were 51,563 visits to outpatient clinics, including 17,241 to the Emergency Room. About 90% of these were "referral" patients--that is, patients who were referred to our Hospital by their local physicians because they needed the

specialized medical care our Hospital is staffed and equipped to offer.

Our Hospital, from the day of its beginning, has provided good medical care for our people, including care for persons who cannot pay the cost. There has been great progress in medicine and tremendous increase in hospital costs, and these have made some policy changes necessary. The basic policy of providing care -- now the highly specialized care for the more difficult cases -- for those who cannot pay has not changed. The Christian ministry is at the heart of the work of our Baptist Hospital.

The financial situation of the Hospital is viewed by the administration with "cautious optimism". The operating deficit has been reduced and expenditures are being kept more nearly in line with income. The entire staff is cooperating in an effort to maintain a proper balance between sound financial policies and a spirit of Christian compassion.

Baptist Hospital offers a ministry of healing in Christ's name to all who need it. It seeks to fulfill the same purpose in North Carolina that Baptist Hospitals operated by our Foreign Mission Board seeks to fulfill in Korea or Nigeria. It ought to be supported by missionary-minded Baptists with the same enthusiasm and for the same reason we support every other phase of our denomination's World Mission Program. This is missions too.

Contributions to the Mothers Day Offering from the churches of the Brushy Mountain Association in 1971 was \$2,868.14 with 28 churches contributing compared with \$2,746.31 and 30 churches contributing in 1970.

Respectfully submitted,
J.C. Shaw, Jr.

HOMES FOR THE AGING REPORT

Our North Carolina Baptist Homes for the Aging celebrated their 20th anniversary in March of this year. During these two decades, the story of our Homes has been one of faith and abundant blessings of God upon this special ministry to older people. God has brought us from one home and one resident in 1951 to five Homes and a Nursing Care Unit with total accommodations for 160 residents and 76 patients. Two of these Homes, Resthaven and Hayes Home, and the Nursing Care Unit are located in Wintson-Salem and the other three Homes are located in Albemarle, Hamilton, and Yanceyville. In these Homes, our residents are loved and we feel that there is no greater security that they could have and no better care that they could receive.

At least 80% of the people who live in our Baptist Homes are financially needy persons and benefit directly from the love gifts of North Carolina Baptist. They simply could not be maintained and the Homes could not be operated without the Special Offering, designated gifts from the churches, and the Cooperative Program. We urge our Baptist people, therefore, to remember how dependent these dear old people are on them and would challenge them to give more liberally than ever and to see that their gifts are a real life-line in the on-going of this ministry.

For the last 3 years we have operated in the red because of an alarming deficit. We have not yet reached the point of operating in the black, but let us say with hopeful optimism, that we are approaching that time. The increase in gifts have been a strong contributing factor to the success of the past year.

Pray for your Baptist Homes of the Aging and remember that any ministry to an older person in the name of Christ is a direct ministry to Him.

Respectfully submitted,
Gwyn R. Blackburn

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

As prices of goods increased and the value of the dollar decreased in 1970, a large number of Baptist pastors, church staff members, and denominational employees moved to provide greater protection in the years ahead for themselves and their families. Most of these persons did so by increasing their Southern Baptist Protection Program participation to at least ten percent of total salary.

While members upgraded, the Annuity Board was introducing Good Experience Credit. This gives Protection Program members benefits over and above the amounts set forth in their certificates. Increased benefits are made possible by interest earnings in excess of the Protection Program's initial actuarial assumptions. Since January 1, 1970, active members received Good Experience Credit in the form of increases in retirement credits accrued.

Retired persons also get Good Experience Credit. Persons receiving benefits other than education, variable of fixed period are getting four per cent more income each month. Each retired person, or widow, also received a "13th check" for 1970 amounting to 8.33 per cent of his annual benefit. It was the fifth consecutive year the "13th check" has been given and amounted to \$424,594.

Highlights of 1970:

Total Active Members		New Benefit Recipients	
In Plan A	24,526	Age Retirement	765
In Plan B	10,541	Variable	48
In Plan C	3,898	Disability	50
Health Benefit Plan	16,374	Widow	159
Life Benefit Plan	5,857	Child	84
New Group (Church) Insurance	7,109	Education	142
New Group (Agency) Insurance	8,234	TOTAL	1,248
Relief Recipients			432
Relief Payments			\$ 162,507
Total Benefits Paid			\$8,404,306

In Brushy Mountain Association:

23 churches in our association are participating in the Protection Program of our denomination. The Associational Superintendent and staff members in 3 of our churches are taking part also. An Annuity Board Protection Program is available to cover all the needs of a pastor, church staff member, or denominational employee. Many churches help by paying the dues in retirement and life and health insurance plans. Information on any part of the Annuity Board's programs may be obtained from the State Convention Office, Raleigh, N.C., or from the Development Division, Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, 511 North Akard Building, Dallas, Texas 75201.

Respectfully submitted,
N.C. Teague

BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES REPORT

Let a graduating senior express what it is like to live in one of our Baptist Children's Homes: "I really do not know how to write about a place which has been so fine, and which has given me the opportunity to worship, work, and learn; not only where we stand in moments of comfort and convenience, but where we stand in moments of challenge and moments of controversy. After all these years, one finally learns that certain values and practices are good and sound and help children to feel

secure and happy”.

This statement could be made by almost any senior regarding his home and community, for a child in the care of the Baptist Children's Homes has basically the same attitudes and values as other children. He differs from other children only in the tragic experiences which have made it necessary for him to live away from his family. For these children, it is our mission to provide loving care in the spirit of Jesus Christ. We want to work in harmony with what we sense God is doing in the life of each child, enabling the child to tap his own inner resources and grow to responsible adulthood.

The pursuit of this basic goal has led the Children's Homes to develop a variety of services, all family centered. Some families need resident care for their children and for these we have group homes and foster homes. Some families can remain together with outside help and for these we have family services in the form of counseling or financial assistance. For the unmarried girl who is pregnant, we offer maternity care. For the graduate in our care, we assist in higher education. For churches involved in day care, we provide a demonstration program and consultation service. We welcome individual inquiries regarding any of these services as the need may arise.

Our services are made available through strategically located facilities throughout North Carolina; in the East at Kinston, Pembroke, Fayetteville and Raleigh; in the Piedmont at Chapel Hill, Thomasville and Charlotte; in the West at Asheville and Waynesville.

Staff members and children of the Baptist Children's Homes are grateful for the harmonious relationship we have shared with North Carolina Baptists. The churches have expressed their confidence and support through increased Cooperative Program gifts and a 1970 Thanksgiving Offering of \$380,000. Individuals continue to give generously and to become involved in our varied ministries. We accept this support as an investment in all that we are doing and we pledge ourselves to translate your investment into quality Christian child care.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. J.C. Shaw, Jr.

REPORT OF THE BIBICAL RECORDER

At a time when some religious publications are losing circulation, it is good to report that the BIBICAL RECORDER has passed 93,000--the highest circulation in its 138-year history. This circulation is a tribute to the Baptist of North Carolina who support the paper so faithfully.

Even though inflation continues to create problems, you can receive the RECORDER under the Church Budget Plan for the same price it was in 1960--only \$2.00 a year. It is not known how long this reasonable price can be made available and that is all the more reason churches should enlist immediately.

The RECORDER likes to report all the good news it can about Baptists. The paper is proud to be the instrument that communicated to the world what our denomination is doing. When evil needs to be exposed, however, the RECORDER does not shun it. This was evidenced again in the legislature this year as the liquor forces managed only small gains. And these may turn out to be unconstitutional. We are referring to the local option liquor by the drink elections in Moore and Mecklenburg Counties. The RECORDER stresses Christian citizenship. Perhaps this is one reason the paper continues to reach more and more people--it stands for something.

The RECORDER appreciates every reader and supporter. The cost is reasonable. You can receive the RECORDER under the Church Budget Plan for only 4¢ a week--half

the cost of mailing a letter. There is no more economical way to have an informed membership than by sending the RECORDER to every family.

Respectfully submitted,
D.E. Elledge

STATE MISSIONS IN N. C.

Why State Missions every September? Because funds from the Cooperative Program are not sufficient to carry out the programs needed in the state. Therefore, N.C. Baptist have tried to reach their goal of \$250,000 to supplement the need. Last year we failed to reach the goal by \$29,130. This year's goal had been placed at \$300,000 with any excess of \$250,000 to go toward replacing the classroom building lost by fire at Fruitland in August.

The \$250,000 will be divided in the following way: \$170,000 for basic needs of the Convention to be used by various departments, \$32,000 for the standing debt at Fruitland, \$48,000 for special needs in the Division of Missions.

The Division of Missions work through five departments: Town and Country, City and Metropolitan, Interracial Cooperation, Deaf Ministries, and Chaplaincy Ministries. Specialized areas of ministry include: Military, Cherokee, Leonard Training School, Samarcand Manor for Girls, McCain Sanitorium, and the Prison Unit.

Brushy Mountain Baptist last year gave \$2,245. to the State Mission Offering. \$1,440. was received from the State Mission Board to assist in the Associational Program, leaving a total GIFT of only \$805! Only Sixteen of the forty one churches participated in designating an offering to State Missions.

So when you hear STATE MISSION OFFERING again, STOP, consider just what your donation might help to do-and GIVE through Christian love and concern for others.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Rex Whittington

REPORT OF THE MINISTER'S CONFERENCE 1970-1971

The Brushy Mountain Minister's Conference held regular monthly meetings during 1970-1971, usually on the first Monday of each month. Most of the meetings were scheduled for the office of the Associational Missionary.

The officers for 1970-1971 were: Harold Rumfelt, President; Joe Crouch, Vice President; Glenn Byrd and N.C. Teague, Program Chairmen; and E.E. Sloan, Secretary-Treasurer.

The meetings of this Conference have been marked by a sense of sharing and concern for the work of each other, with several groups sharing ideas and experiences which they felt might be beneficial to all. In January the Associational Missionary, The Rev. Mr. I.V. Couch, led a discussion on the opportunities and challenges of the work of the Brushy Mountain Association. It was also in January that the name of the organization was changed from "Pastor's Conference" to "Minister's Conference." This was done in order to include all ordained Baptist ministers whether or not they are presently the pastor of a church.

At the conclusion of the meeting, on May 3, Mr. and Mrs. I.V. Couch invited the ministers to the Associational Parsonage for a delicious luncheon which the Couches had prepared.

Respectfully submitted,
Harold Rumfelt, President
Brushy Mtn. Minister's Conf.

REPORT OF THE ASSOCIATIONAL MUSIC COMMITTEE

The Music Committee has assisted with music for various Associational meetings during the year. Several churches have held training sessions in music and participated in the Choir Festivals sponsored by the Baptist State Convention.

Respectfully submitted,
E.E. Sloan, Chairman
Associational Music Committee

A BRIEF HISTORY OF GORDON MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Whereas, December 4, 1919, a Presbytery composed of Rev. W.F. Staley, S.S. Jennings, L.B. Murry, F.C. Watts, Deacons Dr. W.P. Horton, E.E. Eller, A.A.B. McNeill, J.O. Pardue and J.W. Nichols met and organized Gordon Missionary Baptist Church. Rev. S.S. Jennings was elected moderator and J.W. Nichols, clerk.

The covenant and articles of faith were read by Rev. W.F. Staley and on motion of E.E. Eller and seconded by W.P. Horton, were adopted. After the charge to the church by Rev. W.F. Staley and the sermon by L.B. Murry, the church was opened for the reception of members. The following came forward with letters to join: J.H. Curtis and Grace Curtis from Pleasant Grove; Mrs. Julia Canter and Louise Canter from New Hope; A.B. McNeill, deacon, from Harmony; Emilia McNeill, Alice McNeill, H.O. Pardue, deacon, Mrs. Annie Pardue, Sam Church, Mrs. Edna Church, Dr. W.P. Horton, deacon, E.E. Eller, J.W. Nichols and Rev. S.S. Jennings from the First Baptist Church of North Wilkesboro. A committee composed of Dr. W.P. Horton, L.B. Murry and Rev. F.C. Watts, were appointed to examine the letters. They reported that the letters were all regular and from Baptist churches in good standing. The following presented themselves under the watch care of the church: J.T. Hutchens, Mrs. J.T. Hutchens, Mrs. D.J. Steelman, Mamie Steelman, Miss Nob McNeill, Liza Bumgarner, T.M. Fortner, Clara McNeill and Pansy McNeill. Charlie and Sister Phoeby Mitchell came forward for restoration after once being a member of a Baptist Church and having joined a Methodist Church and not being satisfied wanted to come back to the Baptist Church. A motion was made and seconded that they be accepted.

At the June meeting, 1921, a motion was made and carried to let each member pay his part to the pastor and the remainder of the collection to go for church expenses.

It seems from the minutes that the first revival meeting was held September 1924. Twelve were baptized and nine took under watch care of the church until the next meeting.

A committee of five was appointed by the pastor at the July meeting, 1925, to help raise money for the church. At the same meeting the pastor appointed the deacons to see the members who were not attending church and invite them to come back. One member got up and stated he could not fellowship with J.C. Coleman. The pastor read part of the 18th chapter of Matthew and then appointed a committee to visit the brethren and get the differences adjusted. The two members ask for their letters which was deferred until the church got in fellowship. The committee reported at the April meeting that the trouble between Coleman and Dancy was settled. At the August meeting, 1926, C.M. Coleman returned and was re-elected as church clerk. A committee was appointed at the September meeting to raise money to paint the church and to write a friendly letter to all members not attending church.

There are no minutes of the church from 1929 to 1932 and from June to October 1933.

At the November meeting, 1939, repairing and covering of the church and Sunday

School rooms was taken up. A committee was appointed to look after it.

In September, 1940, there were nine members dismissed on their request. At the December meeting six more requested their names be removed from the church roll.

The clerk announced at the April meeting, 1941, that the expenses of covering and repairing the church amounted to \$310.42 and had been paid.

In November 1943 the church adopted the budget system. In September 1944, the church voted to start a library. At the September meeting 1945, the budget was raised to \$100.00 per month and the pastors salary to \$50.00 per month.

In July 1948, a building committee was appointed to build more Sunday School rooms to the church and at the October meeting the church voted for the deacons to borrow \$2,000 to pay off the debt on the Sunday School rooms.

At the October meeting, 1952, report was made by W.P. Carsons that the name of three deacons be taken from the Board of Deacons for disorderly conduct and a motion was also made and carried to clean up the church and approach those living open sinful lives and get them to clean up and come back to church.

March 1959, the pastors salary was raised from \$50 to \$100 per month. At the September meeting, 1965, the church passed a rule that the pastor be called indefinitely and was to give sixty days notice when he wanted to resign.

August meeting, 1966, the pastor made a suggestion that the Canter house be moved to the parking lot and the church building be moved to their new property. A motion was made and carried that this be done and that a loan to the existing deed of trust be given on the house and lot which carried unanimously.

In July 1970 the church voted unanimously to move to the new location and remodel the present building and the building committee secure a loan sufficient to cover the cost of moving. The church agreed to accept the offer of L.S. and Jim Denny to do this at a cost of \$1595.56 and to include material and labor. The church voted to have the trustees to borrow \$35,000 from the North Wilkesboro Savings and Loan to finance all of the cost and repair work that was necessary.

This church has grown in membership from fifteen charter members to one hundred fifty nine.

Since this church was organized it has licensed/ordained the following into the ministry:

Licensed	Ordained	
Ralph Miller	Ralph Miller	Ezra Byers
Iredell Osborne	Iredell Osborne	John Dancy
Garfield Cardwell	Garfield Cardwell	David Osborne
Carl Phillips	G. L. Osborne	
Ezra Byers	Clate Brown	
Ed Osborne	Carl Phillips	

Deacons ordained:		
Iredell Osborne	Carl Phillips	George Grier
Clate Brown	Walter Burgess	Harley Minton
Ed Phillips	Dennis Miller	Clifford Spears
Virgil Cardwell	R. C. Parsons	V.O. Cardwell
Zollie Hamby	Taft Michael	Richard Minton

Pastors that have served the church:			
Rev. L.B. Murry (resigned 1928)		Rev. Gilbert Osborne	1950
Rev. I.C. Woodruff	1928	Rev. Raymond Hendrix	1953
Rev. Ralph Miller	1942	Rev. Iredell Osborne	1954
Rev. Clate Brown	1945	Rev. Garfield Cardwell	1958

Rev. David Osborne	1962	Rev. Tom Pullen	1969
Rev. Barney Osborne	1963	Rev. Harry Stout	1970
Rev. Floyd Burgess	1964	Rev. Bryce Barton	1971
Rev. James Williams	1965		

The following have served as church clerks:

A. B. McNeil	1920	C. M. Coleman	1926	Walter Burgess	1944
Joe H. Curtis	1920	J. L. Parsons	1927	Arle Osborne	1958
C. M. Coleman	1923	H. S. Canter	1928	Jim Wyatt	1971
Isaac J. Canter	1924	W. B. Carsons	1932		
E. C. Long	1925	Clate Brown	1940		

Respectfully submitted,
J. F. Jordan, Historian

BRIEF HISTORY OF HINSHAW STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

Whereas the history of this church was written in 1962 and recorded in the minutes of this association pages 36, 37, and 38 of that year, nothing further will be said with reference to that period.

I came to this church in July 1971 to get the minutes of the church to prepare the history and bring it up to date. The office girl told me that Dr. Pitts instructed her not to let the minutes out of the church. Therefore I have no further history to give.

Respectfully submitted,
J. F. Jordan, Historian

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY REPORT

The American Bible Society is grateful for the privilege of serving as a partner of the Southern Baptists in providing the Bible as a tool for missions.

As a missionary non-profit organization, it serves churches of many denominations at home and abroad. It publishes without note or comment. It helps missionaries to translate the Bible.

During 1970 the American Bible Society aided in providing technical assistance to more than 3000 translators working in more than 800 languages and dialects.

In 1970 one book of the Bible has been published in 1431 languages, the Bible in 249, a Testament in 329 more, a portions in 853. Yet many wait for the Bible in their own language. Donated 4,323,599 Scriptures for Chaplains to the Armed Services, a 93.3 per cent increase over 1969. Distributed 99,595,465 Bibles and Testaments, a 30.7 increase over 1969.

On December 1, 1970 the first book of the Old Testament distribution of 25 million copies, "The Psalms for Modern Man" was available in Today's English version.

In 1970, Southern Baptist gave \$233,185 to the American Bible Society, stood first among all denominations. Gifts from all churches in the U.S.A. totaled \$1,413,945.

The world distribution of all the Bible Societies totaled 173 million, equivalent to one copy for every 21 persons in the world.

The Society's work is made possible solely by voluntary gifts from churches and individuals.

Respectfully submitted,
Joe B. Crouch

CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION REPORT

At the present time, I am serving as Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Mars Hill College. Since the founding of Mars Hill College in 1856, at least two elements in the purpose of the institution have been consistent. These are a determination to operate from Christian presuppositions and to combine in the curriculum the intellectual and the practical. These beliefs have grown out of the conviction that both are essential to the development of Christian, cultured and productive citizens. We feel that we have something distinctive and different at Mars Hill College and in our other Baptist colleges and universities.

Throughout America, more colleges join the ranks of the financially distressed every day. Some schools, including some of our Baptist institutions in other states, have been forced to close and others are moving steadily toward the crisis stage. Some of the contributing factors are: general inflation of the cost for buildings and all services; the greater need for student financial aid; a decrease in endowment earnings during an uncertain period for investment; contributions and groups have not kept pace with the inflationary spiral; increased tuitions and fees, always the last resort, have made student recruitment more difficult and we have reached the stage in some institutions that we are almost pricing ourselves out of business.

Fortunately, none of our North Carolina Baptist schools are in deep financial difficulty at this moment. However, these are the pressures under which our schools must live from year to year.

One way our churches can help to relieve the financial burden of our schools is through the Baptist College Day offering. Churches can provide scholarship aid for needy North Carolina Baptist students by means of this special offering or it can be included as a regularly budgeted item.

The Baptist colleges in North Carolina are very grateful for and very dependent upon the financial support which comes through the Cooperative Program. However, the amount received through the Cooperative Program would not be more than five to ten percent of the total college budget.

Another area in which our Baptist churches can be of great assistance to our colleges is in the recruitment of students. Together we must seek to provide opportunities for students to seek truth in an atmosphere of freedom, by persons who are committed to God as He is revealed in Jesus Christ. The active support of North Carolina Baptist is necessary in helping achieve this goal.

Respectfully submitted,
Cecil Lee Porter

HOME MISSION BOARD REPORT

In keeping with the Home Mission Board's purpose "to support the Southern Baptist Convention in its task of bringing men to God through Jesus Christ by developing and promoting, in cooperation with churches, associations, and state conventions, a single uniform Southern Baptist missions program for the United States and assigned territories", the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association has the opportunity to help ful-

fill the Motto, "Our Life For Christ".

In 1970 the Home Mission Board instituted a new plan to strengthen and expand the Board's efforts to assist churches in missions and evangelism. Three sections were formed: Planning and coordination; Program Implementation and Program Services.

At the close of 1970 there were 2,222 missionaries which is thirteen less than 1969. Of these missionaries, approximately two-thirds are supported jointly with state conventions and serve in fifty states, Puerto Rico and Panama.

1. Division of EVANGELISM has projected plans for use of television in the presentation of the Christian faith and the addition of a staff member for youth evangelism in high schools.

2. In 1970, 942 CHAPLAINS served in the military, hospitals, institutions and industry.

3. CHURCH LOANS were made for 126 churches and 81 other loans for more than 4 million dollars were committed.

4. About 350 NEW CHURCHES and church-type missions were established.

5. LANGUAGE MISSIONS for Southern Baptist include 1,032 missionaries. The work in Cuba continues in spite of hardships with an increase in baptisms over the previous year.

6. Workers in the COMMUNITY MINISTRIES division report 3,126 professions of faith, and thirty-five new works were started among the DISADVANTAGED.

7. STUDENT SUMMER MISSION personnel reached a new high of 940. These workers report 6,645 professions of faith.

8. MOTION PICTURES produced in cooperation with Broadman Films have been used extensively to help churches in their work.

In relation to the Week of Prayer for Home Missions and special Annie Armstrong Easter offering, the churches of the Brushy Mountain Association promoted the study of the Home Mission book "The Diakonic Task". The offering was \$3,726.

It is our prayer that under God our Christian commitment will deepen within our association and convention as we witness to people in the homeland.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Lloyd Pardue

EXPENDITURES 1970-1971

Missionary's Salary	\$ 4800.00
Annals	1081.50
Missionary's Automobile Allowance	1800.00
Hospital Insurance	366.00
Debt Retirement (\$1085.80, Int. 538.12)	1623.92
Office Equipment	50.00
Office Supplies	368.67
Office Help	529.63
Office Utilities	376.77
Parsonage Utilities	799.92
Parsonage and Office Insurance	163.50
Parsonage Repairs	2738.85
Conventions and Conferences	214.40
Missionary's Retirement	508.78
Associational Clerk	75.00

Associational Treasurer	75.00
Vacation Bible School	42.36
Brotherhood	35.00
Miscellaneous	228.20
Sound Equipment Expense	327.30
Refund Carter-Hubbard Publishing Co. Inc. toward 1970-71 minutes	200.00
TOTAL	\$16,404.80

TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$16,944.31
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	16,404.80

BALANCE IN BANK 9/30/71	\$ 539.51
(Sound equipment fund	293.06)
(Mission balance	246.45)

BALANCE DUE ON ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICE AT THE NORTHWESTERN BANK 9/30/71	\$ 6,350.00
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Respectfully submitted,
Chalmer Dyer, Treasurer

TREASURER'S REPORT 1970-1971

CHURCH	MISSION SUPPORT	ANNUAL FUND	OFFICE FUND	SOUND EQUIP. FUND	TOTAL RECEIPTS
Beaver Creek	394.50	35.00		20.00	449.50
Bethany	339.63	8.00		15.00	362.63
Boiling Springs		12.00	47.90		59.90
Calvary					
Cricket					
Cub Creek	240.00	32.00			272.00
Davis Memorial		6.50			6.50
Edgewood	75.00	45.50			120.50
Elk	120.00	8.00			128.00
Fishing Creek	300.00	36.00			336.00
Friendly Grove		6.00			6.00
Gordon		10.00			10.00
Goshen	50.00	41.64			91.64
Harmony					
Hinshaw Street	650.00	25.00			675.00
Lewis Fork	154.00	17.00			171.00
Liberty Grove	390.00	32.50			422.50
Little Rock	132.00	26.00	165.00		323.00
Millers Creek	895.74	78.00		15.00	988.74
Moravian Falls	200.00	20.00		25.00	245.00
Mount Carmel		12.00			12.00
Mount Pleasant	260.00	51.30	100.00		411.30
Mount Zion		5.00		50.00	55.00
New Hope	120.00	32.50			152.50

N. Wilkesboro 1st	1925.00	25.00	550.00		2500.00
N. Wilkesboro 2nd	45.00	11.00			56.00
Oak Grove		6.00			6.00
Oakwoods	300.00	32.50	50.00	39.11	421.61
Pilgrim	150.00	13.00			163.00
Pleasant Grove		30.00			30.00
Pleasant Home	120.00	50.00			170.00
Purlear	60.00	31.20			91.20
Roaring River	66.00	26.00			92.00
Rocky Creek		5.00			5.00
Shady Grove		11.70			11.70
Sharon Walker		26.00		25.00	51.00
Stony Hill		15.60			15.60
Walnut Grove	400.00	40.00			440.00
Welcome Home	140.00	15.00	200.00	15.00	370.00
Wilkesboro	2000.00	39.60		50.00	2089.60
Zion Hill		20.00	100.00		120.00
TOTAL	\$9526.87	\$937.54	\$1212.90	\$254.11	\$11,931.42
State Missions					1,360.00
Rev. I. V. Couch					402.00
Greene Brothers Furniture Co. Inc.					100.00
Rex B. Yates					55.00
Carter Hubbard Publishing Co.					200.00
Brushy Mountain Baptist Assoc. Pastors Conference					150.00
Sound Equip. Contributions from Individuals					366.25
N.C. Sales Tax Refund					132.31
Other Contributions					71.00
Money on hand or in Bank 10/4/70					2,176.33
Grand Total Receipts					\$16,944.31

PROPOSED BUDGET 1971-1972

ANTICIPATED INCOME

From Churches	\$12,310.00
Annual Fund	760.00
State Missions	1,440.00
Other Contributions	500.00
TOTAL ANTICIPATED INCOME	<u>\$15,010.00</u>

ANTICIPATED EXPENDITURES

Missionary's Salary	\$ 4,800.00
Missionary's Automobile Allowance	2,000.00
Missionary's Hospital Insurance	355.00
Missionary's Life Insurance	180.00
Debt Retirement	2,000.00
Office Equipment	200.00
Office Supplies	600.00
Office Help	1,000.00
Office Utilities	425.00
Office Upkeep	100.00
Parsonage Utilities	900.00

Parsonage and Office Insurance	175.00
Parsonage Upkeep	200.00
Annual	575.00
Convention and Conferences	400.00
Missionary's Retirement	400.00
Associational Clerk	75.00
Associational Treasurer	75.00
Associational Treasurer - Expense and Postage	50.00
Sunday School	50.00
Church Training	50.00
Woman's Missionary Union	50.00
Brotherhood	50.00
Music	50.00
Miscellaneous	250.00
TOTAL ANTICIPATED EXPENDITURES	<u>\$15,010.00</u>

Respectfully submitted,
 Mr. J. R. Priester, Chairman
 Mr. Jerry Hamby
 Mrs. Virginia Jarvis
 Mr. Wayne Vannoy
 Mr. Earl Wolfe
 Mr. Ivery Haynes

The Budget Committee is suggesting that each church give at least 3% of its total gifts to Associational Missions. If each church would respond the budget would be easily met and plans for expansion could be made.

CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE REPORT

The Constitution Committee recommends the following changes in the Constitution of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association:

In Article IV, Section 1, a paragraph be added to read: The Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, Brotherhood Director, Woman's Missionary Union Director and the Superintendent of Evangelism, will be elected at the Executive Promotion Committee Meeting in August. After their election they will become a part of the Nominating Committee.

In Article V, Section 8, the sentence "The Moderator and Associational Missionary shall be ex-officio members of this committee" be changed to read "The Moderator and the Superintendent of Missions will serve as special advisors on this committee".

That both these changes be added as amendments, Section 2 and Section 3, under Article VII.

Respectfully submitted,
 W. L. Pitts, Chairman
 C. M. Brown
 Mrs. Presley Myers

TIME, PLACE AND PREACHER REPORT, 1971

The Time, Place and Preacher Committee recommends that the One Hundred First Annual Session of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association be held at New Hope Baptist Church, first day, October 3, 1972, with the Annual Sermon by the Rev. Ralph Stanley, and at Boiling Springs Baptist Church, second day, October 4, 1972, with the Mission Sermon by the Rev. E.W. McMurray.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. James Williams
Rev. Joe Crouch
Mrs. Burl Lankford

REPORT OF RESOLUTION COMMITTEE

Be it resolved;

1. That we express our appreciation and gratitude to the pastors and members of Hishaw Street and Gordon Baptist Churches for the delicious food, beautiful flowers and excellent accomodations provided for both sessions.

2. That we express to Rev. E.W. McMurray, our Moderator, appreciation for his capable guidance and leadership, also to all association officers and committee members for their dedicated efforts.

3. That we thank the Program Committee for well-planned and up-lifting programs and that we express our gratitude to those persons who provided special music for us.

4. That we express our sincere thanks to Rev. and Mrs. I.V. Couch for the work they are doing in all the churches and associational programs and that we support them with our prayers and efforts.

5. That we express our appreciation to Rev. Harold Rumpfelt and Rev. Mace Johnson who brought messages to the association.

6. That we, the members of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association, hold fast to our beliefs and convictions, and pledge ourselves to carry out the Great Commission which our Lord and Saviour gave in Matthew 28:19.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Worth Bentley
Mrs. W.L. Pitts
Mrs. Presley Myers

Our Beloved Dead

1970-71

BEAVER CREEK: Mrs. Buelah E. Walsh, Mrs. Janie G. West, Mr. Haywood Brookshire

BETHANY: Mrs. Mary C. Tevepaugh

CUB CREEK: Miss Louise Lankford, Mrs. J.W. Bullis

DAVIS MEMORIAL: Mr. Dock Wood, Miss Alice Laws

EDGEWOOD: Mr. C.W. Fletcher (Deacon), Mrs. Sara A. Spears, Mr. James Adams

ELK: Mrs. Martha Triplett, Mr. Hill Allen

FISHING CREEK: Mr. Buel Brooks, Mr. Ray Brown, Mrs. Oma McLain, Mr. S.S. Jarvis,

Mr. Monroe Mastin, Mr. Buel Bouchelle, Mr. Eugene F. Pardue (Deacon)

FRIENDLY GROVE: Mrs. Adeline Church, Mr. Roy Miller

GORDON: Mr. Charley Osborne
HARMONY: Mrs. Vivian Spalding, Mr. L. Austin Minton
HINSHAW STREET: Mrs. Evelyn Miller, Mrs. B.H. Triplett, Mrs. Cora Revis, Mr. Julius Walker
LEWIS FORK: Mr. Montie McNeil, Mr. Carolo Dyer, Mr. George Frazier, Mr. Absolom
DYER: Mrs. Kiter Anderson, Mr. Avery Triplett
LIBERTY GROVE: Mrs. Tyre Cothorn
LITTLE ROCK: Mr. Claude S. Carlton
MORAVIAN FALLS: Mrs. Ethel Neiworth, Mr. Cody Lowe
MT. PLEASANT: Mrs. Bessie McNeil, Mr. Garfield Eller, Mrs. Lula Triplett, Mr. W.C. Bishop
MT. ZION: Mr. Willie Bengé, Mr. Ira Triplett
NEW HOPE: Mr. Vaney Yates, Mr. Burl Eller, Mrs. Will McNeil
N. WILKESBORO FIRST: Mr. W. Cyrus McNeil, Mrs. Emeline Porter, Mr. O.D. Bentley, Mr. O.M. Proffit, Mr. J.R.Q. Johnston, Mr. Jeter Blackburn
OAKWOODS: Mrs. Edd Ashley
PLEASANT GROVE: Mr. John McGlamery, Mrs. Andrew Faw, Mrs. Ada Nichols, Mrs. Lou Evans
PLEASANT HOME: Mrs. Rainer Nichols, Mr. Rainer Nichols, Mr. Cecil Pierce, Mrs. Howard Royal, Mrs. Norma Pierce, Mr. Roy Baugnness, Mrs. Allie Lovette
PURLEAR: Mr. Lester Clinton, Mr. Ned Chamberlain, Mrs. Annie H. Nichols, Mr. C.Y. Robinson
ROARING RIVER: Mrs. Myra Mastin, Mrs. Ester Johnson
SHADY GROVE: Mrs. Nelia Bumgarner Kilby
SHARON WALKER: Mr. Edward Marley
STONY HILL: Mrs. J.B. Baker, Mrs. Alice Spears, Mr. D.A. Spears
WALNUT GROVE: Mrs. Josie Joines Smith
WELCOME HOME: Mrs. E.S. Kendall
WILKESBORO: Mr. Roy Barnes, Mr. Howard C. Colvard (Deacon), Miss Elizabeth Lowe, Judge Johnson J. Hayes (Deacon Emeritus), Mrs. H.M. Phillips, Miss Carrie Powell, Mr. A. Sturdivant, Sr. (Deacon), Mr. Walter Watts, Mrs. Pear Yates
ZION HILL: Mr. Albert Watts

ASSOCIATIONAL CALENDAR 1972

January

- 3 10:00 a.m. Ministers Conference, Association Office
- 3- 7 January Bible Study Week
- 5- 7 State VBS Clinic, Wingate College
- 7- 8 Trustee Orientation, Sir Walter Hotel, Raleigh
- 10 7:30 p.m. WMU Council, Association Office
- 11-15 Chaplains (BSU) Seminar, In-the-Oaks, Black Mtn.
- 13 7:30 p.m. Church Training Executive Meeting, Association Office
- 21-22 Institute for Home Mission Study Teacher, CaRAway
- 23 Baptist Men's Day
- 25 Council on Christian Higher Education
- 25-26 General Board Meeting, Baptist Building, Raleigh
- 27 12:30 p.m. Ministers Wives
- 28-30 High School Senior's Retreat, CaRAway

February

- 1 School of Christian Studies
- 5 RA Counselor Leadership Courses, Morganton, First Charlotte, First
- 7- 9 Statewide Evangelism Conference, Fayetteville
Cumberland County Memorial Auditorium
- 7 10:00 a.m. Ministers Conference, Association Office
- 7 6:30 p.m. Missions Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro Church
- 7 7:30 p.m. Associational Executive Promotion Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro
- 8 School of Christian Studies
- 13 Race Relations Sunday
- 13-19 WMU Focus Week
- 15 School of Christian Studies
- 20 Special Day and Offering for Homes for Aging
- 22 School of Christian Studies
- 22 Regional Real Life Conference (Sunday School)
Lenoir, College Avenue
- 24 12:30 p.m. Ministers Wives
- 25-26 Statewide Missions Conference, High Point, Green Street
- 28 7:30 p.m. VBS Workshop for Pastors and Directors, Mt. Pleasant Church
- 29 School of Christian Studies

March

- 2- 4 Religious Education Conference, CaRAway
- 3 Regional Choir Festival, Elkin, Pleasant Hill
- 3- 4 Day Camp, Mundo Vista
- 5-11 Week of Prayer for Home Missions, Annie Armstrong Easter Offer-
ing
- 6 10:00 a.m. Ministers Conference, Association Office
- 7 School of Christian Studies
- 14 School of Christian Studies
- 14-16 WMU Annual Session, Winston Salem Convention Center
- 21 School of Christian Studies
- 23 12:30 p.m. Ministers Wives
- 23-24 Church Training Adult Leadership Workshops, Charlotte
- 24-25 Baptist Men and Boys' Convention, Asheville, First
Charlotte, Pritchard Memorial
- 27 7:30 p.m. WMU Council, Association Office
- 27-30 Western N.C. Missions Emphasis
- 28 School of Christian Studies

April

- 2 Easter Sunday
- 6- 8 Regional Library Clinic, Southeastern Seminary
- 7- 8 State Youth Handbell Festival
- 10 10:00 a.m. Ministers Conference, Association Office
- 11 Family Life Conference, Winston-Salem, First
- 13-15 Special Workers Leadership Training Institute, CaRAway
- 13 7:30 p.m. Church Training Exec. Meeting, Association Office
- 14-15 Baptist Women Conference, Winston-Salem, Knollwood
- 14-16 BSU Spring Conference, Caswell
- 15 Statewide Children's Choir Festivals, Asheville, Calvary

Raleigh, Hayes Barton
 16 Cooperative Program Day
 17-21 Church Leader Training Week
 17-19 N.C. Baptist Church Music Conference, Ridgecrest
 18 Statewide Church Building Conference, Southeastern Seminary
 19 Family Life Conference Fruitland
 20 Family Life Conference, Lenoir, First
 20 WMU-Brotherhood Annual Meeting
 21-22 Statewide Youth Convention, Raleigh, Reynolds Coliseum
 21-22 Church Library Conference, Charlotte, Providence
 22 Associational RA Track Meet
 27 Ministers Wives
 28-29 Weekend RA Camp, CaRAway
 28-30 Family Camping Weekend, CaRAway
 29 9:30 a.m. Statewide Children's Choir Festival, Greensboro, First
 30 2-4 p.m. Associational V.B.S. Clinic, Wilkesboro

May

1 10:00 a.m. Ministers Conference, Assoc. Office
 1 6:30 p.m. Missions Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro
 1 7:30 p.m. Assoc. Executive Promotion Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro
 5- 6 All State Youth Choir Festival, Winston-Salem, First
 5- 6 Weekend RA Camp, CaRAway
 5- 7 Family Camping Weekend, CaRAway
 6 Day Camp - GA's and RA's
 7-14 Christian Home Week
 12-13 Baptist Women Retreat, Mundo Vista
 14 Baptist Hospital Day and Mother's Day Offering
 15-16 Statewide Communications, Evangelism and Administration
 Workshop, Greensboro, First
 19-20 Baptist Women's Retreat, Mundo Vista
 19-21 Teachers and Interpreters Conference (Deaf) CaRAway
 20 State RA Track Meet, Wake Forest University
 21 Baptist Radio and Television Sunday
 21 2:30 p.m. Associational Church Training Tournaments, Oakwoods
 25 12:30 p.m. Ministers Wives

June

4- 5 WMU Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, Pa.
 5 Pastors' Conference, Religious Education Conference
 and Church Music Conference, Philadelphia, Pa.
 6- 8 Southern Baptist Convention, Philadelphia
 10 State Scripture Exploring Drill Finals
 11 Religious Liberty Sunday
 12 GA Camps Begin, Mundo Vista
 RA Camps Begin, CaRAway
 17-18 Young Marrieds' Retreat, Mundo Vista
 18 Baptist College Day and Offering
 20 Meeting of Council on Christian Higher Education
 20-21 General Board Meeting
 26-30 Associational Superintendents of Missions Conference, Fruitland

July

3- 7	Week of Christian Study and Fellowship, Mars Hill College
4	Independence Day
5	Associational Sunday School Officers Briefing Meeting, Caswell
7- 8	Baptist Young Women Retreat, Mundo Vista
9	Christian Literature
10	7:30 p.m. WMU Council, Association Office
13	7:30 p.m. Church Training Exec. Meeting to plan Youth Week, Assoc. Office
17	Acteen Camps Begin, Mundo Vista
28-30	College Career Retreat, Mundo Vista

August

2	Associational Sunday School Officers Briefing Meeting, Ridgecrest
7	6:30 p.m. Missions Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro
7	7:30 p.m. Associational Executive Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro
13	Language Missions Day
18	Statewide Youth Evangelism Night,, Greensboro Coliseum
20-26	Week of Prayer for Associational Missions
20-27	Youth Week
20	On-To-College Day
21	Baptist Men and Boys Round-Up
25-27	Week-end Youth Revival
25-26	Workshop for Associational WMU Officers, Mundo Vista

CAMPS AND ASSEMBLIES

FRUITLAND BAPTIST CONFERENCE CENTER

P. O. Box 2468

Hendersonville, N. C. 28739

Gary Harthcock, Director

Telephone: (704) 692-3588

May 29-June 3	Baptist Summer Opportunities
June 5-9	Open
June 12-16	Children's Choir Camp (9-11)
June 19-23	Week of Special Study
June 26-27	Deacons' School
June 26-30	Superintendents of Missions
July 3-7	Calvary Baptist Church, Darlington, S.C.
July 10-14	Children's Choir Camp (9-11)
July 17-20	Fruitland Alumni Preaching and Bible Study Week
July 24-29	Methodist Group

RIDGECREST

Kenneth McAnear, Manager

Ridgecrest, N.C. 28770

Telephone: (704) 669-8022

June 8-14	Church Recreation Conference
June 15-21	Bible Conference, Church and Denominational Statistics and History Conference, Church Administration Conf., Church Library Conference, Youth Bible Conference
July 22-28	Foreign Missions Conference
June 29-July 5	Music Leadership Conference
July 6-12	Youth Music Workshop (youth singers and instrumentalists, 16-24)
	Church Training Leadership Conference
	Vocational Guidance Lab
	Church Training Youth Conf. (ages 12 and above)
July 13-19	Church Training Leadership Conference
	Vocational Guidance Lab
	Workshop for Workers with Mentally Retarded
	Church Training Youth Conf. (ages 12 and above)
July 20-26	Sunday School and Church Training Leadership Conf.
	Workshop for Workers with Mentally Retarded
July 26-27	Eastern Religious Education Association
July 27-Aug. 2	Sunday School Leadership Conference
	Workshop for Workers with Mentally Retarded
August 3-9	Sunday School Leadership Conference
August 10-16	Woman's Missionary Union Conference (adult leaders of WMU)
August 17-23	Student Conference (college students, recent high school graduates and leaders)
August 24-30	Home Missions Conference
Sept. 1-4	Conference for Single Adults

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSEMBLY

Southport, N.C. 27461

Fred J. Smith, Director

Telephone: (919) 278-5495

June 12-16	Youth Ministries Week Evangelism
	Vocational Guidance, Church Recreation
June 19-23	Children's Choir Camp (9-11)
June 26-30	Church Training Week
July 3-7	Youth Bible Conference and Sunday School Leadership
July 10-14	World Missions Week
July 17-21	Church Training Week
July 24-28	Youth and Adult Music Week
July 31-Aug. 4	Youth Conference

August 7-11
August 14-18
August 22-24

Youth Conference
Vacation Week
Convention Staff Retreat

CAMP MUNDO VISTA

Asheboro

Woman's Missionary Union
P. O. Box 26508
Raleigh, N. C. 27611
Telephone: (919) 833-1605

Opens June 12

Closes August 18

CAMP CARAWAY

P. O. Box 36
Asheboro, N. C. 27203

B. W. Jackson, Director
Telephone: (919) 629-2374

Opens June 12

Closes August 18

Wilkes County, North Carolina

DATE	WHERE HELD	MODERATOR	CLERK	PREACHER	No of Churches	Baptisms	Church Membs.
1872	Sulphur Springs (Alex)	R. L. Steel	G. O. Sherrill	L. N. Haynes	27	45	2145
1873	New Hope	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	W. M. Wingate	28	75	2175
1874	Three Forks (Alex)	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	Isaac Oxford	28	96	1999
1875	Buffalo (Ashe)	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	James McNeill	29	201	2202
1876	Oak Forest	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	C. C. Pool	29	125	2525
1877	Union (Caldwell)	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	W. A. Pool	30	90	2558
1878	Lewis Fork	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	Wm. Pool	30	191	2722
1879	Antioch (Alex)	Isaac Oxford	James B. Pool	George W. Green	31	85	2665
1880	Bethel (Ashe)	R. A. Spainhour	James B. Pool	James B. Pool	34	195	2847
1881	Cub Creek	R. A. Spainhour	James B. Pool	Milton McNeill	36	188	2921
1882	Macedonia (Alex)	R. A. Spainhour	James B. Pool	W. J. Fulford	34	166	2930
1883	Kings Creek (Caldwell)	R. A. Spainhour	W. E. White	W. A. Pool	35	204	3158
1884	Three Forks (Alex)	R. A. Spainhour	W. E. White	L. W. Thomas	36	146	3249
1885	Zion Hill	R. A. Spainhour	W. E. White	William Royal	36	207	3346
1886	Sulphur Springs (Alex)	R. A. Spainhour	W. E. White	W. A. Pool	31	125	2943
1887	Wilkesboro	R. A. Spainhour	W. E. White	C. E. Taylor	27	253	2701
1888	Walnut Grove	R. A. Spainhour	W. P. Laws	W. R. Gwaltney	14	43	1114
1889	Mt Pleasant	I. T. Prevett	J. L. Hemphill	W. R. Gwaltney	17	133	1315
1890	Little Rock	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McGinnis	W. L. Wright	17	125	1295
1891	Mt. Carmel	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McGinnis	W. W. White	18	61	1303
1892	Moravian Falls	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McGinnis	I. T. Prevett	18	28	1283
1893	Pleasant Home	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McGinnis	A. T. Pardue	19	52	1375
1894	N. Wilkesboro 1st	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McGinnis	W. R. Bradshaw	20	73	1425
1895	New Hope	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McGinnis	A. T. Pardue	20	74	1475
1896	Mt. Zion	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McGinnis	J. C. Blalock	19	77	1480
1897	Edgewood	J. L. Hemphill	Vance McGinnis	W. R. Bradshaw	19	89	1575
1898	Beaver Creek	J. L. Hemphill	Vance McGinnis	A. T. Pardue	18	54	1511
1899	Lewis Fork	W. M. Asher	Vance McGinnis	J. I. Beach	19	37	1574
1900	Zion Hill	W. M. Asher	Vance McGinnis	W. R. Gwaltney	19	91	1608
1901	Cub Creek	J. L. Hemphill	Vance McGinnis	A. T. Pardue	20	110	1634
1902	Wilkesboro	J. L. Hemphill	Vance McGinnis	S. F. Conrad	20	167	1788
1903	Shady Grove	J. L. Hemphill	Vance McGinnis	W. R. Bradshaw	21	91	1850
1904	Stony Hill	J. L. Hemphill	John Crouch	W. H. Eller	21	74	1878
1905	Walnut Grove	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	W. F. Staley	21	185	1999
1906	Harmony	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	W. F. Staley	21	131	2080
1907	N. Wilkesboro 1st	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	J. S. Farmer	22	208	2196
1908	New Hope	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	W. F. Staley	22	91	2146
1909	Little Rock	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	J. W. Thomas	23	120	2273
1910	Wilkesboro	C. C. Wright	D. R. Edwards	C. M. Rock	23	115	2372
1911	Mt. Pleasant	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	L. B. Murray	23	206	2449
1912	Mt. Carmel	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	R. P. Blevins	23	156	2569

1913	Pleasant Home	C. C. Wright	R. P. Blevins	23	200	2751
1914	Lewis Fork	C. C. Wright	S. S. Jennings	24	166	2888
1915	Mt. Zion	C. C. Wright	D. M. Wheeler	24	103	2880
1916	Moravian Falls	C. C. Wright	C. H. Utley	24	107	2999
1917	Edgewood	C. C. Wright	W. C. Meadows	24	213	3118
1918	Beaver Creek	C. C. Wright	S. S. Jennings	25	235	3251
1919	Zion Hills	C. C. Wright	S. S. Jennings	26	134	3266
1920	Rhonda	C. C. Wright	W. F. Staley	27	116	3267
1921	N. Wilkesboro 1st.	C. C. Wright	G. W. Sebastian	27	222	3450
1922	Pleasant Grove	C. C. Wright	W. L. Griggs	27	315	3715
1923	Oakwoods	C. C. Wright	G. W. Sebastian	27	210	3859
1924	Harmony	C. C. Wright	W. L. Griggs	26	169	3729
1925	Walnut Grove	C. C. Wright	J. L. Shinn	26	233	4087
1926	N. Wilkesboro 2nd	C. C. Wright	G. G. Reeves	26	168	4198
1927	C. Goshen	C. C. Wright	G. W. Sebastian	27	211	4516
1928	Mt. Pleasant	C. C. Wright	N. C. Teague	27	105	4115
1929	Stony Hill	C. C. Wright	W. M. Gilmore	27	79	4148
1930	Little Rock	C. C. Wright	W. R. Bradshaw	28	194	4329
1931	Fishing Creek	C. C. Wright	A. E. Watts	29	223	4680
1932	Pilgrim	J. L. Hemphill	Avery M. Church	29	190	4660
1933	Mt. Zion	J. L. Hemphill	A. J. Foster	28	230	4759
1934	Moravian Falls	J. L. Hemphill	Eugene Olive	28	228	4899
1935	Lewis Fork	T. E. Story	Avery M. Church	28	108	4755
1936	Oakwoods	T. E. Story	N. T. Jarvis	28	181	4699
1937	Liberty Grove	T. E. Story	C. C. Holland	28	201	4831
1938	Mt. Pleasant	T. E. Story	Isaac Watts	30	249	5168
1939	Beaver Creek	T. E. Story	Howard J. Ford	31	224	5394
1940	New Hope	T. E. Story	Ernest V. Bumgarner	32	184	5519
1941	Pleasant Home	T. E. Story	Finley C. Watts	32	212	5602
1942	Zion Hill	T. E. Story	Alfred J. Foster	33	238	5651
1943	Elk	T. E. Story	Howard J. Ford	33	310	5933
1944	Hinshaw Street	T. E. Story	C. J. Pool	33	121	5964
1945	Mt. Carmel	T. E. Story	S. Isaac Watts	33	342	6270
1946	Pleasant Grove	T. E. Story	David E. Browning	34	240	6509
1947	Boiling Springs	T. E. Story	W. N. Brookshire	33	191	6850
1948	Little Rock	T. E. Story	J. Glenn Huffman	33	162	6571
1949	Goshen	T. E. Story	C. J. Pool	33	284	6799
1950	Davis Memorial	T. E. Story	John T. Wayland	35	291	7073
1951	Walnut Grove	A. W. Eller	John Wells	35	250	7255
	N. Wilkesboro 1st		W. N. Brookshire			
	Harmony		Clate Brown			
			Gilbert Osborne			
			H. I. Johnson			
			Clete Simmons			
			John T. Wayland			

1952	Purlear	A. W. Eller	Mrs. Tam S. Hutchinson	R. L. Franklin	35	221	7405
1953	Lewis Fork Wilkesboro Goshen	John V. Idol	Mrs. H. G. Duncan	Clate Brown	36	240	7531
1954	Pleasant Home	John V. Idol	Mrs. H. G. Duncan	A. W. Eller	37	342	7833
1955	Mt. Zion Welcome Home	John V. Idol	Gwyn Vannoy	I. Glenn Huffman	37	352	7965
1956	Fishing Creek Beaver Creek	John V. Idol	Thomas W. Earp	W. H. Caldwell	38	269	8186
1957	Zion Hill	John V. Idol	Thomas W. Earp	Hunter Church	39	334	8425
1958	Calvary N. Wilkesboro 1st	John V. Idol	W. W. Miles	I. C. McQueen, Jr.	39	339	8656
1959	Moravian Falls	John V. Idol	T. E. Story	Henry A. Morgan	39	337	8855
1960	Edgewood	John V. Idol	T. E. Story	Clyde Church	39	290	9210
1961	Mt. Pleasant Walnut Grove Oakwoods	Clyde Church	T. E. Story	Frank Walker	39	404	9325
1962	Boiling Springs Little Rock	Clyde Church	T. E. Story	Heber F. Peacock	39	296	9582
1963	Hinshaw Street	Henry A. Morgan	T. E. Story	Dean Dillard	39	369	9748
1964	Millers Creek Liberty Grove	Henry A. Morgan	T. E. Story	Richard Byrd	39	267	9952
1965	Pilgrim New Hope	Henry A. Morgan	T. E. Story	Rowe W. Teague	39	337	10, 186
1966	Wilkesboro 1st	J. Glenn Huffman	T. E. Story	Fred S. Miller	39	305	10, 532
1967	Mt. Pleasant Beaver Creek	J. Glenn Huffman	R. C. Bailey	W. H. Caldwell	40	399	10, 600
1968	North Wilkesboro 2nd	R. C. Greene	R. C. Bailey	E. L. Copeland	40	241	10, 294
1969	Goshen	R. C. Greene	J. C. Shaw, Jr.	C. A. Eden, Jr.	40	268	10, 587
1970	Pleasant Home Pleasant Grove	Hunter Church	J. C. Shaw, Jr.	C. E. Lawing	41	251	10, 937
1971	North Wilkesboro First	Hunter Church	J. C. Shaw, Jr.	R. Earl Adams	41	324	11, 113
	Bethany Roaring River	Hunter Church	J. C. Shaw, Jr.	Frank Walker			
	Little Rock	E. W. McMurray	J. C. Shaw, Jr.	David Osborne			
	Wilkesboro	E. W. McMurray	J. C. Shaw, Jr.	Harold T. Smith			
	Hinshaw Street	E. W. McMurray	Mrs. Albert Holman	Clate Brown			
	Gordon			Albert Pruitt			
				Allen Laymon			
				G. C. Arney			
				Dean Simpson			
				Gwyn Blackburn			
				W. L. Pitts			
				Harold Rumpfelt			
				Mace Johnson			

TABLE A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION 1971

Association	State	County	Year organized as a church	Loc (1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-0)	Services held twice		If no. services held on										Total Baptisms	Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	Present resident members	Present nonresident members	Grand total present members	No. members received from non-Baptist denominations	No. members lost to non-Baptist denominations	Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	Value of Church property incl. pastor's home	Total church debt at end of this association year															
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Route 1, Box 178		City		State		PASTORS & ADDRESSES																																				
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CHURCHES																																										
Beaver Creek		J. B. Crouch, Rt. 1, Bx. 40, Ferguson, 28624																																								
Bethany		Mace-Johnson, Millers Creek, 28651																																								
Boiling Springs		R. A. Call, Rt. 2, Bx. 116, N. Wilkesboro, 28659																																								
Calvary		Dean Rector, P. O. Bx. 402, N. Wilkesboro, 28659																																								
Crick		G. Byrd, Rt. 3, Bx. 298, Wilkesboro, 28697																																								
Cub Creek		W. Carroll, Rt. 1, Purlear, 28665																																								
Davis Memorial		F. Walker, P. O. Bx. 293, N. Wilkesboro, 28659																																								
Edgewood		J. R. Weaver, Rt. 1, Millers Creek, 28651																																								
Elk		C. Church, 1001 Hill St., Wilkesboro, 28697																																								
Fishing Creek		J. E. Key, McGrady, 28649																																								
Friendly Grove		B. Barton, 1953 Woodleaf Rd., Salisbury, 28144																																								
Gordon		J. Williams, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro, 28697																																								
Goshen		W. Huffman, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro, 28659																																								
Harmony		W. L. Potts, P. O. Bx. 791, N. Wilkesboro, 28659																																								
Hinshaw St.		S. Wellborn, Rt. 1, Deep Gap, 28618																																								
Lewis Fork		P. Shoupe, Rt. 5, N. Wilkesboro, 28659																																								
Liberty Grove		H. Rumlert, Rt. 1, Boomer, 28606																																								
Little Rock		E. Stanley, Rt. 1, Bx. 330-44, Millers Cr., 28651																																								
Millers Creek		F. T. McGrady, P. O. Bx. 86, Moravian Falls, 28654																																								
Moravian Falls		P. T. Lewis, Rt. 2, Bx. 75A, Boomer, 28606																																								
Mt. Carmel		J. C. Shaw, Rt. 1, Bx. 282, Wilkesboro, 28697																																								
Mt. Pleasant		R. Shumate, 1003 8th St., N. Wilkesboro, 28659																																								
Mt. Zion		V. Brown, Rt. 5, N. Wilkesboro, 28659																																								
New Hope		A. Laymon, 501 D St., N. Wilkesboro, 28659																																								
N. Wilkesboro 1st.		R. Mayberry, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro, 28697																																								
N. Wilkesboro 2nd.		G. Caudill, Rt. 5, N. Wilkesboro, 28659																																								
Oak Grove		F. Mason, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro, 28697																																								
Oakwoods		C. Johnson, 605 S. Spruce, Wilkesboro, 28697																																								
Pilgrim		C. M. Hooper, 177 Harris Ave., Elkin, 28621																																								
Pleasant Grove		G. R. Blackburn, Rt. 1, Millers Creek, 28651																																								
Pleasant Home		H. Hayes, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro, 28697																																								
Purlear		M. Almond, P. O. Bx. 954, N. Wilkesboro, 28659																																								
Roaring River		W. Staley, Rt. 1, Bx. 153, Wilkesboro, 28697																																								
Rocky Creek		W. R. Phillips, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro, 28697																																								
Shady Grove		E. Adams, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro, 28697																																								
Stony Hill		O. Johnson, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls, 28654																																								
Walnut Grove		D. Simpson, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro, 28697																																								
Welcome Home		H. Morgan, Bx. 61, Wilkesboro, 28697																																								
Wilkesboro		M. Baker, Boomer, 28606																																								
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SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES																							
CHURCHES																							
Beaver Creek	Richard Edmiston, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60					
Bethany	Lowell Hendren, Moravian Falls 28654	10	17	20	21	22	33	23	0	15		115	80	0	0	0	0	41					
Boiling Springs	Alton Michael, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665	10	15	20	26	34	15	0				135	91					52					
Calvary		25	10	10	25	47						117	120					91					
Cub Creek	Jack Osborne, Rt. 4, North Wilkesboro 28659	53	36	30	28	62						201	138					110					
Davis Memorial	Connie Johnson, Rt. 3, Box 336, Wilkesboro 28697	6	12	8	16	15				5		46	38					44					
Edgewood	Lloyd Harris, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697	23	28	22	21	23	21					133	94					54					
Elk	Ted Hayes, Rt. 3, North Wilkesboro 28659	24	12	21	19	17	30			12		135	47	3	60			60					
Fishing Creek	Ottie M. Allen, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624	16	45	70	20	95	25					244	94					76					
Friendship Grove	Robert L. Johnson, Rt. 5, North Wilkesboro 28659	8	17	12	10	20	1			6		62	34					32					
Garden	Presley Church, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28652	8	17	12	10	20	1			3		75	65					32					
Goshen	Rayatt, Rt. 4, Box 547, N. Wilkesboro 28659	8	17	12	7	23	5			3		75	65					52					
Harmony	Bill Cardwell, Rt. 1, Box 3, Wilkesboro 28697	12	12	17	24	29	5			2		103	71					69					
Hindsway	Clyde Bumgarner, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651	12	12	17	24	29	5			2		103	71					69					
Hindsway Street	R.H. Brown, Rt. 1, Box 342, Hays 28635	16	35	38	22	60	21			12		204	177					90					
Lewis Fork	Robert L. Wood, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697	23	33	37	19	65	49					226	140					78					
Liberty Grove	Paul Bumgarner, Rt. 5, North Wilkesboro 28659	31	28	33	26	64	25			4		211	110			20		78					
Little Rock	Ray Parsons, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606	18	26	22	21	40	21			4		152	94					93					
Millers Creek	Douglas Taylor, Rt. 4, North Wilkesboro 28659	35	50	55	16	62	44	2				267	160					139					
Moravian Falls	Hal B. Hawkins, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro 28697	20	45	25	15	33	18			4	56	216	100					84					
Mt. Carmel	Carl Sheets, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls 28654	2	10	16	11	12						51	38					99					
Mt. Pleasant	Zib Turner, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697	15	21	42	42	63				3		163	120					50					
Mt. Zion	Paul Welborn, Wilkesboro 28697	18	24	26	8	6						190	132					58					
New Hope	Lee Church, Purlear 28665	65	125	145	63	203	89	43	33		132	906	284					82					
N. Wilkesboro First	Conrad Shaw, 1011 Trodgon Ave., N. Wilkesboro 28659	8	15	26	18	62	33	7		2		190	132			25		58					
N. Wilkesboro Second		10	10	25	32	26	8					15	70					84					
Oak Grove	Bill Killen, Rt. 4, North Wilkesboro 28659	8	10	25	32	26	8					15	70					38					
Oakwoods	Ken London, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro 28697	10	10	25	32	26	8					15	70					38					
Pilgrim	Ken London, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro 28697	10	10	25	32	26	8					15	70					38					
Pleasant Grove	Richard McGilgannon, Hill St., Wilkesboro 28697	18	25	14	25	47	3			4		182	93					100					
Pleasant Home	Gary McNeil, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651	30	40	80	50	88	20			1		135	85					82					
Purlear	D. F. Beshears, Purlear 28665	12	50	49	55	70	25	17		2		280	153			125		169					
Roaring River	M.A. Nichols, Rt. 2, Roaring River 28669	5	15	12	25	39	21					117	77					56					
Rocky Creek	Gene Fletcher, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28654	8	16	16	12	10	16			3		87	60	1	8			25					
Shady Grove	Alfred Phillips, Rt. 1, Box 6-A, Wilkesboro 28697	1	11	23	10	40						25	25					42					
Sharon Walker	Willard Land, Rt. 1, Box 496, Boomer 28606	17	12	11	19	34				4		79	52					60					
Stony Hill	George McNeil, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665	14	20	15	15	22	24			3		96	65					73					
Walnut Grove	Troy Carpenter, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28654	21	39	29	17	35	63			6		108	84					45					
Welcome Home	Paul Snyder, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28654	16	20	26	28	29	42			3		210	105					129					
Wilkesboro	Ralph Langley, Short Street, North Wilkesboro 28659	50	85	73	30	35	10			135		164	131					107					
Zion Hill	Charles Billings, Boomer 28606	11	29	19	26	34	10			3		503	304			20		131					
TOTALS		727	1095	1163	820	1785	716	69	38	138	323	6914	4203	4	68	20	44	287	3070	148	3218		

TABLE C TRAINING UNION																	
1971																	
Association BRUSHY MOUNTAIN																	
State NORTH CAROLINA																	
Associational Training Union Director MRS. JAMES SPICER																	
Address Rt. 1		City Millers Creek	State North Carolina	Zip 28651	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73
CHURCHES		CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES			61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73
Beaver Creek		Mrs. C.W. Ferguson, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624			2	3	4	5	7	5	4		30	11			
Edgewood		Miss Gail Rogers, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro 28697			1	3	5	4	14	0			27	15			
Fishing Creek		Ray Vaughn Brown, Rt. 5, North Wilkesboro 28659				2	15	24	24		1		44	27			
Goshen		Mrs. Harold Collins, Rt. 1, Box 390, Bommer 28606				12	10	12	21	1			56	29			
Hinshaw Street		Harold Tedder, Rt. 3, Box 577															
Liberty Grove		Jimmy Brown, Rt. 5, North Wilkesboro, N. C. 28659				5	14	10	5	8	2		44	25			
Little Rock		Frank Carlton, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606				5	11	5	24		2		47	24			
Millers Falls		Clate Bumgarner, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651			6	24	27	11	8		2		78	35			
Moravian Falls		John Tugman, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro 28697					9	9			2		12	7	3	3	
New Hope		Blaine Church, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651			3	7	6	6	18	8	2		50	42			
N. Wilkesboro First		H.C.Providence, 903 Coffery Ave., N. Wilkbo. 28659			11	0	59	40			4		114	79	7	7	1
N. Wilkesboro Second		Ray Blevins, Sparta Rd., North Wilkesboro 28659			1	1	13	11			3		37	20	7	1	60
Oakwoods		Herman Gruber, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro 28697			4	4	9	4	9		3		27	22	7	65	27
Pleasant Home		Mrs. Otto Reavis, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651			1	8	17	4	7		3		40	26	40		
Walnut Grove		Mrs. Mack Brock, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28654			8	19	12	21	26	4	6		96	42	96		
Walcome Home		Ivory Haynes, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro 28659			10	6	12	8	41		2		69	45	45		
Wilkesboro		Ernest Cotton, Rt. 1, Box 224, Millers Creek			10	33	27		23	10	3		106	67	8	8	
TOTALS					47	131	241	146	227	36	38		874	489	18	18	7
																1	125
																	67

TABLE D CHURCH MUSIC				1971		74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85
Association	CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES		1971		Preschool enrolment (5 years and under—not in school)	Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Adult enrolment (18 and over)	General officers enrolment	Enrolment of mission(s) of church	Total church music enrolment	Average weekly church music enrolment	Handbell ringers enrolment	Vocal ensemble enrolment	Instrumental ensembles	Church music study group enrolment
		City	State	Address	Zip												
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN		Wilkesboro	N. C.	325 Forest Hills Road	28697												
NORTH CAROLINA																	
Association Music Director																	
ELLIHU E. SLOAN																	
325 Forest Hills Road																	
Beaver Creek				Peeler Hayes, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624													
Bethany				Mack Hendren, Moravian Falls 28654													
Boiling Springs				W.O. Huffman, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665													
Calvary																	
Cricket				L.B. Cooper, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651													
Cub Creek				Charlie Cain, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro 28697													
Davis Memorial				Travis Harris, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624													
Edgewood				C.A. Hayes, Box 405, North Wilkesboro 28659													
Elk				Mrs. E.C. Eller, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624													
Fishing Creek				Walter Miller, Rt. 3, Box 264, North Wilkesboro 28659													
Flint Hill				Marion Miller, Rt. 3, Box 264, North Wilkesboro 28659													
Frontier Grove				Bill Carson, Rt. 4, North Wilkesboro 28659													
Goshen				Charles Profit, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606													
Harmony				Ralph Edmonston, Rt. 4, North Wilkesboro 28659													
Hinsdale Street				Mrs. Frank C. Jarvis, P.O. Box 892, North Wilkesboro 28659													
Liberty Fork				James Triplett, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665													
Little Rock				Mrs. Tam Hutchinson, Rt. 5, North Wilkesboro 28659													
Millers Creek				Mrs. Rowan Molsinger, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606													
Moravian Falls				Mrs. Jim Watkins, Rt. 1, Box 252-B, Millers Creek 28651													
Mountain View				Mrs. Bill McMurray, 1130 Spring St., Mocksville 27028													
McConnell				Miss Nancy Cannon, Rt. 1, Box 283, Boomer 28606													
McPherson				Harry Foster, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624													
Mountain View																	
New Hope				Athel Phillips, Rt. 4, North Wilkesboro 28659													
N. Wilkesboro First				E.E. Sloan, 325 Forest Hills Rd., Wilkesboro 28657													
N. Wilkesboro Second																	
Oak Grove				Eugene Triplett, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651													
Oakwoods				Donald Grimstead, Rt. 2, Box 378, Wilkesboro 28697													
Pilgrim				Charles Shumaker, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697													
Pleasant Grove				Gordon Church, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697													
Pleasant Home				Rex Reeves, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651													
Purlear				Walter A. Blackburn, Purlear 28665													
Roaring River				Worth Ward, Roaring River 28669													
Rocky Creek																	
Shady Grove				Howard Moore, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro 28697													
Shony Hill				Eugene Johnson, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665													
Walnut Grove				Lawrence Call, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28651													
Welcome Home				H.R. Kendall, Rt. 4, Box 190, N. Wilkesboro 28659													
Wilkesboro				Mrs. Henry A. Morgan, Box 61, Wilkesboro 28697													
Zion Hill																	
TOTALS																	

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION										1971						
Association																
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN																
State																
NORTH CAROLINA																
Associational WMU Director																
MRS. VIRGINIA JARVIS																
Address		City		State		Zip										
P. O. Box 892		North Wilkesboro		North Carolina		28659										
CHURCHES		WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES														
Beaver Creek		Mrs. Myrtle Horton, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624														
Boiling Springs		Mrs. Rollin Bishop, Rt. 1, Purlair 28665														
Cub Creek		Mrs. Wellborn Anderson, Moravian Falls 28654														
Edgewood		Mrs. Ted Hayes, Rt. 3, North Wilkesboro 28659														
Elk		Madge E. McNeil, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624														
Fishing Creek		Maggie Waddell, Rt. 3, Box 269, North Wilkesboro 28659														
Friendly Grove		Mrs. Roland Englebert, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651														
Hinslaw Street		Mrs. W.L. Pitts, P.O. Box 791, N. Wilkesboro 28659														
Liberty Grove		Mrs. Wayne Pardue, Rt. 1, North Wilkesboro 28659														
Little Rock		Mrs. Roy Livingston, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606														
Millers Creek		Mrs. Jim Spicer, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651														
Millers Falls		Mrs. Walter Brewer, P.O. Box 214, Moravian Falls 28654														
Mt. Pleasant		Mrs. Edwin Church, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624														
New Hope		Mrs. Burl Lankford, Box 63-A, Purlair 28665														
N. Wilkesboro First		Mrs. J.F. Cook, 430 Shady Lane, Wilkesboro 28697														
Oakwoods		Mrs. Mayford Johnson, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro 28697														
Pleasant Home		Mrs. Rex Whittington, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651														
Roaring River		Mrs. Joann Blackburn, Rt. 2, North Wilkesboro 28659														
Walnut Grove		Mrs. Henry Lowe, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls 28654														
Welcome Home		Mrs. Bob Church, Rt. 4, North Wilkesboro 28659														
Wilkesboro		Mrs. Robert Foster, 406 Highland Street, Wilkesboro 28697														
TOTALS		9	101	14	156	14	115	4	31	21	310	76	1	3	64	785

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD									
Association		1971							
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN									
State									
NORTH CAROLINA									
Associational Brotherhood Director									
MR. RAY SHUMAKER									
Address		City		State		Zip			
Rt. 5		North Wilkesboro		N. C.		28659			
CHURCHES		BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES							
Beaver Creek	John Adams, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606								
Cub Creek	Hubert Wyatt, P.O. Box 309, Moravian Falls 28654								
Liberty Grove	Hardin Shumate, Rt. 2, North Wilkesboro 28697								
Millers Creek	John Adams, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606								
N. Wilkesboro First	Pete Caudill, Forest Hills, Wilkesboro 28697								
Pleasant Home	Rex Reeves, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651								
Sharon Walker	Willard Land, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606								
Wilkesboro	Loren Buchanan, 400 S. Cherry St., Wilkesboro 28697								
TOTALS		79	22	3	79	20	3	20	213
		94	95	96	97	98	99	100	101
		Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Pioneers (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Men enrol- ment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	Baptist Men enrolment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	Baptist Senior Men (60 and over or retirement and over)	General officers enrolment	Enrolment of church (or missions)	Total Brotherhood enrolment

TABLE I SPECIAL INFORMATION													
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State													
NORTH CAROLINA													
Moderator													
REV. J. C. SHAW, JR.													
Address													
City State Zip													
Purlear North Carolina 28698													
CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS & ADDRESSES													
CHURCHES													
Baßer Creek	Mack Hendren, Moravian Falls 28654												
Bethany	W.O. Huffman, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665												
Boiling Springs													
Calvary													
Cricket	Rufus Church, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro 28659												
Cold Creek	Jessie Johnson, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28654												
Edgewood	W.C. Church, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28659												
Elk	M.M. Alder, Jr., Rt. 1, Purlear 28665												
Fishing Creek	E.C. Eller, Jr., Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624												
Friendly Grove	Carlos Pardue, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro 28697												
Gordon	W.C. Church, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651												
Goshen	W.P. Carson, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro 28659												
Harmony	Jesse A. Walsh, Jr., Rt. 3, Box 36, Wilkesboro 28697												
Hinsdale Street	Clyde Bumgarner, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651												
Little Grove	B.T. Gambill, 908 Hinshaw St., N.W. 28659												
Lewis Fork	Vernon Dyer, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624												
Little Rock	John Baugues, Rt. 2, N. Wilkesboro 28659												
Millers Creek	Monroe Royal, Millers Creek 28651												
Moravian Falls	L.G. Critcher, P.O. Box 65, Moravian Falls 28654												
Mt. Carmel													
Mt. Pleasant	Edwin McGee, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624												
Mt. Zion	C.M. Triplett, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624												
New Hope	Rex Yates, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665												
N. Wilkesboro First	W.K. Sturdivant, Cedar Lawn, N. Wilkesboro 28659												
N. Wilkesboro Second	J.D. Berrong, Rt. 5, Box 425, N.W. 28659												
Oak Grove													
Pleasant Grove	James Cable, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro 28697												
Pleasant Grove	Harvey Miller, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro 28697												
Pleasant Home	Garvey Griffin, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697												
Purlear	Jas. B. Caldwell, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651												
Roaring River	Walter A. Blackburn, Purlear 28665												
Rocky Creek	J.S. Mastin, Rt. 2, Roaring River 28669												
Shady Grove	Gene Fletcher, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28654												
Stonewall	Alfred Phillips, Rt. 1, Box 6-A, Wilkesboro 28697												
Stonewall	Frank Hartley, Rt. 1, Box 94, Ferguson 28624												
Walnut Grove	George McNeil, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665												
Wilkesboro	Vernon Dyer, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624												
Wilkesboro	H.R. Kandall, Rt. 4, Box 130, Wilkesboro 28659												
Zion Hill	Max Freeman, 93 Townsend St., N.W. 28659												
	William J. Earp, Boomer 28606												

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION OF
NORTH CAROLINA

This is to certify that the

(Name of Church)

(Address)

in church conference _____ 19 _____

Voted to make formal application for

membership in the Brushy Mountain Missionary Baptist Association, and pledges itself to support the Baptist Denomination and its program of carrying out our Lord's Commands within the Association, the State, the Homeland, and throughout the world. The "Articles of Faith," known and commonly accepted by Baptists as the "New Hampshire Confession of Faith," has been read before the congregation and approved. It further pledges itself to live by the "Church Covenant" of a Missionary Baptist Church. It declares itself to be a duly-constituted and organized Missionary Baptist Church, and will maintain this status at all times, or will voluntarily withdraw from the Association.

It understands that upon submitting this application, accompanied with a Southern Baptist Convention uniform Associational letter to the Annual Session of the Association, and if the Association received the application and uniform letter, it will be referred to the Committee on New Churches for study and investigation. The Church maintains for the year the status of Associate Membership until the committee makes its recommendation, if favorable, it will be received into full membership with all the rights and privileges at the next Annual Session.

Signed _____ Pastor

_____ Clerk

_____ Deacon

_____ Deacon

_____ Deacon

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BOILING SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCHES
October 3-4, 1972



The One Hundred Second Annual Session will be held
Monday Night, October 1, 1973, at Fishing Creek Baptist Church.

SERMON Rev. I.V. Couch

The Session on Tuesday, October 2, 1973, will be held
at Pleasant Home Baptist Church

SERMON Rev. Carl Walker
ALTERNATE Rev. Glenn Byrd

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DEDICATED TO
MISS LUNDA HENDREN



It has been said that a life without commitment is only half lived, Lunda Hendren accepts commitment from her church, community and the Association. As a matter of fact, in every area she sees an opportunity for service to her fellow man and to this service she dedicates her life.

Miss Hendren, or Lunda, as she is better known, has never missed an associational meeting in her 27 years as Director of Church Training.

During these 27 years, Lunda has helped in establishing many training programs in churches throughout our Association.

Her sincere interest in youth can be seen by the increased number of young people who participate in Associational "M" Night, Youth Night, and the various Scripture Memory Contests.

Lunda believes in her church as well as the Association. She is an active member of the First Baptist Church, having been Church Clerk and Assistant Clerk for the past 14 years, Sunday School Teacher, Training Union Director, and WMU Leader. She is presently serving as the Assistant Church Clerk at First Baptist.

Open-hearted, sharing in good times and bad, never complaining, always optimistic, and taking the "long look" seems to characterize the warm and dedicated life of Lunda Hendren.

ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY

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	Church	973-3102
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	2847	
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WALNUT GROVE: Rev. Owen Johnson, Rt. 2, Box 11A, Moravian Falls, 28654,	667-	
	6324	

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WILKESBORO:
ZION HILL:

Church 667-1271

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WMU DIRECTOR:

BROTHERHOOD DIRECTOR: Mr. Ray Shomaker, Rt. 5, N. Wilkesboro, 28659, 838-4505

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2. All Pastors of Churches in the association.
3. One Elected Representative from each church in the association.

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GOSHEN: Helen Burngarner, Rt. 2, Roaring River	28669
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CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE I - NAME

This body shall be known as the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association of Wilkes County, North Carolina.

ARTICLE II - PURPOSE

It shall be the purpose of this Association to consider and promote measures for increasing the harmony, the intelligence, and the spiritual life of the churches and for developing and directing their energies and their contributions in the advancement of Christ's kingdom throughout the earth, always in harmony with the teachings of the New Testament. This Association shall be an auxiliary to the North Carolina Baptist State Convention in all its missionary, educational and benevolent work.

ARTICLE III - MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. The Association shall be composed of Missionary Baptists Churches desiring to affiliate with it. Each church may be represented in the annual associational meetings by its pastor and any other ordained ministers holding membership in it and living within the bounds of the Association. In addition to these each church may elect three (3) messengers for the first one hundred (100) members or fraction thereof, plus one additional messenger for each additional one hundred (100) members or major fraction thereof, provided, that no church shall be entitled to send more than ten (10) messengers.

Section 2. Any church desiring to become a member of the Association shall present through messengers chosen for that purpose, its request for membership on APPLICATION for MEMBERSHIP provided in the minutes along with a UNIFORM AS-

SOCIATIONAL LETTER provided by the clerk at any Annual Session of the Body. The Moderator shall refer the church to the Committee on New Churches for study and investigation. The church maintains for the year the status of Associate membership until the Committee makes its recommendation, if favorable, it will be received into full membership with all the rights and privileges at the next Annual Session: If the Association then votes to receive the church the Moderator shall extend the hand of fellowship to the messengers.

Section 3. Any church not representing itself in this body for three successive years, either by letter or by messengers shall be stricken from the roll of churches, unless satisfactory reasons for such failure are given.

Section 4. The Association shall withdraw fellowship from any church in its membership which shall be found to be disorderly in faith and practice, but not until charges are brought against it by some other church and carefully considered by the Association.

ARTICLE IV - OFFICERS AND THEIR DUTIES

Section 1. The officers of the Association shall consist of a Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, Brotherhood Director, Woman's Missionary Union Director, Director of Music Ministry, School of Christian Studies Director, Superintendent of Evangelism, Librarian and Representatives for the following: Biblical Recorder, Baptist Hospital, Children's Home, Homes for Aging, Baptist Colleges, ROAU, Annuity Board, American Bible Society, Fruitland, State Missions and Foreign Missions. These shall be elected annually on the second day of the annual session before the noon recess adjournment by a majority of the members voting and shall begin their term of office upon final adjournment of the session at which elected and shall continue in office until the close of the next annual session. Any officer may succeed himself, except the Moderator who may not serve more than two years in succession.

The Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, Brotherhood Director, Woman's Missionary Union Director and the Superintendent of Evangelism, will be elected at the Executive Promotion Committee Meeting in August. After their election they will become a part of the Nominating Committee.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside at all meetings, preserve order, appoint all committees not otherwise provided for, and exercise all other duties of a presiding officer according to the principles of established parliamentary usage; he shall also, as far as his private duties may permit, visit and communicate with the churches between the sessions of the Association to encourage and assist them in their work for the kingdom. He shall appoint a Nominating Committee, and Committee on Committees at the annual meeting to serve for the following year. He shall be chairman of the Executive Committee, and ex-officio member of all other committees.

Section 3. The Vice-Moderator shall discharge the duties of the Moderator in his absence, or at his request, and be Vice-Chairman of the Executive Committee.

Section 4. The Clerk shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the Association; shall superintend their printing and distribution to the churches; shall send one copy each to the General Secretary of the Baptist State Convention, the Baptist Sunday School Board, Nashville, Tenn., the American Baptist Publication Society, Philadelphia, Pa., and to our denominational agencies or institutions requesting them; shall preserve a file of all Association records; shall provide at least one month prior to the annual session of the Association from letters for the use of the churches in making their reports to the Association and shall suggest to each church, based on the actual cost of printing, the amount needed for the printing and distribution of the Annual. He shall serve as Secretary of the Executive Committee.

Section 5. The Treasurer shall receive and disburse all funds of the Association, as directed by the Association, and make an itemized statement at each annual session.

Section 6. The Historian shall collect facts of interest to the Association and the cooperating churches, and shall make a report to each annual session of the Association.

Section 7. The Trustees shall be three in number. It shall be their duty to hold in trust any property, endowment or other securities of this Association, and to be representative of the Association in legal matters.

ARTICLE V - COMMITTEES AND THEIR DUTIES

Section 1. At each annual session of the Association the Moderator shall appoint a Nominating Committee composed of three members from as many different churches. It shall be the duty of this committee to nominate and present to the Association at its next annual session a complete slate of officers and institutional representatives. After presentation of these nominations the Moderator shall give opportunity for nominations from the floor for any and all of these positions. Should vacancies occur by death or resignation, it shall be the duty of this committee to name a person to fill the vacant position until the next annual session of the Association, with the approval of the Executive Committee.

Section 2. At each annual session of the Association the Moderator shall appoint a COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES composed of six members from as many different churches. It shall be the duty of this committee to nominate and present to the Association at its next annual session members of all standing committees not otherwise provided for in this constitution. Should vacancies occur by death or resignation, it shall be the duty of this Committee to name a person to fill the vacant position until the next annual session of the Association, with the approval of the Executive Committee.

Section 3. THE EXECUTIVE PROMOTION COMMITTEE shall consist of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Director, Associational Church Training Director, Director of Music Ministry, Associational W.M.U. Director, Associational Brotherhood Director and all the pastors of churches within the Association together with one member from each church to be elected by the church. A quorum shall consist of ten (10) members of the committee, including four of the above mentioned officers, providing that either the Moderator or the Vice-Moderator is present. It shall be the duty of the Executive Promotion Committee to cooperate with the Baptist State Convention and with the churches of the Association in the promotion of any plans which may seem wise for the extension of Christ's Kingdom, and to take such steps as may be necessary to put into successful operation any plans adopted by the Association. The committee shall meet at least once each quarter at a time to be agreed upon or at the call of the Moderator. The officers of the Association shall be the officers of this committee with the Moderator serving as chairman.

Section 4. THE ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS COMMITTEE shall be composed of the Associational Sunday School Director, the Associational Church Training Director, the Associational Director of Music Ministry, the Associational W.M.U. Director, the Associational Brotherhood Director and three pastors, who along with the chairman, shall be nominated by the Committee on Committees. It shall be the duty of this committee to cooperate with the Associational Missionary in the extension of Baptist work throughout the Associational area, and advise with him in matters pertaining to his work and activities. It shall also be the duty of the committee, in the event of a vacancy in the position of Associational Missionary, to seek out and recommend to the Executive Promotion Committee and the Association a suitable person. It shall be

the further duty of this committee to consult with the Finance Committee on matters of expense and to provide information to the Baptist State Convention officials which might be helpful in meeting missionary needs and to make recommendations to the Association in matters of this kind.

Section 5. THE FINANCE COMMITTEE shall be composed of six members with the Treasurer serving as EX-OFFICIO MEMBER. It shall be the duty of this committee to plan and recommend to the Executive Promotion Committee and the Association a financial budget for the coming year and to supervise the raising and expenditure of funds.

Section 6. THE COMMITTEE ON NEW CHURCHES shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to receive applications from churches seeking admission to the Association and, after careful investigation and deliberation, to report to the Association on such applications in keeping with the provisions of this Constitution.

Section 7. THE CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to study and recommend any necessary change in the Constitution and bring reports as necessary to the Association.

Section 8. THE ORDER OF BUSINESS COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to arrange the program for the annual session of the Association and present the same for adoption at its opening session. The Moderator and the Superintendent of Missions will serve as special advisors on this committee.

Section 9. THE TIME, PLACE, AND PREACHER COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to receive or solicit invitations for the place of meeting and to recommend to the annual session a place or places of meeting, preacher, and an alternate for the Introductory Sermon, a preacher and an alternate for the Missionary Sermon and the dates for the next annual session.

Section 10. THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to study and report on such resolutions as may be referred to it and to present such other resolutions as may be appropriate at the annual session.

Section 11. THE COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL SERVICE AND CIVIC RIGHTEOUSNESS shall be composed of three members from as many different churches whose duty it shall be to study the social and civic problems of our area, along with relevant literature available through the Christian Life Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention, and to report to the annual session of the Association their findings along with recommendations for specific action by the Association and/or cooperating churches.

Section 12. THE STEWARDSHIP AND COOPERATIVE PROGRAM COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duties it shall be to encourage each church to teach and practice Bible stewardship, to give to associational missions, and to support world mission causes through the Cooperative Program.

Section 13. THE COMMITTEE ON EVANGELISM, composed of three members shall promote the work of evangelism in the Association in cooperation with the State Department of Evangelism. All plans and programs to be subject to the approval of the Association or its Executive Promotion Committee.

Section 14. THE CALENDAR COMMITTEE shall be composed of the following associational officers: Missionary, Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Brotherhood Director, Director of Music Ministry, and President of the Pastor's Conference. This committee shall prepare an associational calendar for the year, and present same to the Executive Committee, and to the annual meeting, for adoption. This calendar shall be included in the Annual.

Section 15. THE COMMITTEE ON ORDINATION, composed of six pastors, shall, when requested by a member church, assist with the examination and ordination of candidates for the Gospel Ministry. Churches wishing to ordain ministers are requested

to place their candidates before the Committee at least thirty (30) days prior to the date set for ordination for examination on the following principles:

- a. Christian experience or conversion;
- b. Call to the ministry;
- c. Attitude toward denominational work and objects;
- d. Support of denominational causes;
- e. Moral and spiritual fitness;
- f. Doctrinal beliefs;
- g. Knowledge of the Bible.

Candidates are to be ordained with the assistance of this committee only, when they are serving a church or churches as Pastor or having been called as Pastor of a Missionary Baptist Church.

No candidate for ordination shall be considered by the committee who has not been a member of a cooperating church for at least one year.

Candidates are to be urged to prepare themselves for the ministry as far as possible in Baptist Institutions of higher learning.

This committee shall not recommend any candidate for ordination whom they feel will not bring honor and esteem to the Lord, to Southern Baptists and to the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association.

Recommendations will be made by the Committee to the church where the candidate holds membership. The committee will assist the church in the ordination service at a time convenient to the church and to the members of the committee if such assistance is desired.

Section 16. THE COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS, composed of three members, shall bring a report at the annual meeting, leading in a Memorial service, in memory of those reported by the churches as deceased since the last annual meeting.

Section 17. PROPERTIES COMMITTEE. This committee shall be composed of three members and shall have the responsibility of supervision of all properties belonging to the Association and shall give attention to the condition of the properties owned by the Association. This committee shall make such repairs or improvements as deemed necessary. All matters of major repairs or improvements shall be referred to the Finance Committee for action and recommendation to the Executive Committee. This committee shall make at least one annual inspection of all properties owned by the Association.

ARTICLE VI - GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 1. The employment of an Associational Missionary shall follow the procedure outlined in Section 4, Article V, with the understanding that said person be extended an indefinite call and that a period of 30 days notice be given by either the missionary or the Association in the event of termination of such employment.

Section 2. All questions of order not herein provided for shall be decided according to some standard work on parliamentary practice, preferably ROBERTS RULE OF ORDER, Revised.

Section 3. Amendments to this Constitution may be made at any annual session upon vote of two-thirds of the members present, provided that such amendments be presented on the first day of the annual session and voted upon on the second day.

ARTICLE VII - AMENDMENTS

Section 1. ROTATING OF COMMITTEES. One-third of each committee shall be elected to serve a period of three years. Committees or parts of committees composed of organizational heads shall not be subject to rotation. No member shall succeed

himself. Vacancies occurring during the year may be filled immediately by the Executive Committee.

Section 2. ELECTION OF OFFICERS. The Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, Brotherhood Director, Woman's Missionary Union Director and The Superintendent of Evangelism, will be elected at the Executive Promotion Committee Meeting 10/6/71

Section 3. SPECIAL ADVISORS. The Moderator and the Superintendent of Missions will serve on all committees of the association as special advisors. 10/6/71

BY-LAWS

1. The Association shall convene annually on _____ and continue two days or longer in the judgment of the Committee on Order of Business and subject to the approval of the Association.
2. Each session of the Association shall be opened with religious exercises, conducted by whomsoever the Committee on Order of Business may designate.
3. A majority of the members present shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of any business except the matter of making changes in the Constitution.
4. Any member wishing to speak shall rise and address the Moderator, shall confine himself strictly to the question under consideration, and avoid the use of unnecessary personalities.
5. The members shall observe toward the officers and towards one another such courtesies as are becoming to Christians.
6. The annual Associational year, for the purpose of reporting statistical information shall be September 1 to August 31, inclusive.
7. Amendments to the By-Laws may be made by a majority vote of members present at any annual meeting of the Association.

REVISED OCTOBER 15-16, 1969

AMENDMENT TO BY-LAW NO. 1. (The Association shall convene annually on _____ and continue two days or longer in the judgement of the Committee on Order of Business and subject to the approval of the Association.)

On recommendation from the Constitution Committee, October 4, 1972, the Association voted to amend By-law 1 to read as follows: The Association shall meet on Monday night before the first Tuesday in October and for a full day session on the first Tuesday in October.

PROGRAM

101st ANNUAL SESSION

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1972 - NEW HOPE CHURCH
THEME: "TOGETHER WE ADVANCE PHASE I"

Moderator: Rev. J.C. Shaw

Call to Order

- A.M.
- 9:00 Hymn
- 9:05 Welcome, Scripture and Prayer
- 9:10 Report of Committee on Order of Business Mrs. Hal Hawkins
Adoption of Program
- 9:15 Roll Call of Churches Mrs. Albert Holman
Recognition of New Pastors and Visitors Rev. I.V. Couch

9:25	Nominating Committee Report	Rev. Joe Crouch
	Election of Officers	
9:30	Committee on Committees Report	Rev. N.C. Teague
	Election of Committees	
9:35	Executive Committee Report	Rev. J.C. Shaw
9:40	Treasurers Report	Mr. Chalmer Dyer
9:45	Finance Committee Report	Mr. J.R. Priester
	Adoption of Budget	
9:50	Trustees Report	Mr. J.F. Jordan
9:55	Properties Committee Report	Mr. Cecil Porter
10:00	Hymn	
10:05	Children's Home Report	Mr. Lewis Hill Jenkins
	Representative	
10:20	Christian Higher Education Report	Mr. Cecil Porter
	Representative	
10:35	Baptist Hospital Report	Rev. Jack Boston
	Representative	
10:50	Home for Aging Report	Rev. Gwyn Blackburn
	Representative	
11:05	Break	
11:20	Hymn	
11:25	BIBLICAL RECORDER Report	Mr. D.E. Elledge
	Representative	
11:40	History of New Hope Church	Mr. J.F. Jordan
11:50	American Bible Society Report	Rev. Joe Crouch
11:55	General Board Report	Rev. Henry Morgan
12:00	Evangelism Report	Rev. E.W. McMurray
12:05	Miscellaneous Business	
12:20	Scripture and Prayer	
12:25	Special Music	
12:30	Message	Rev. Ralph Stanley
1:00	Adjournment and lunch	

TUESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 3, 1972, WILKESBORO CHURCH
MISSION EMPHASIS NIGHT

Call to order

P.M.

7:00	Hymn	
7:05	W.M.U. Report	Mrs. Virginia Jarvis
7:15	Baptist Men's Report	Mr. Ray Shoemaker
7:20	Associational Missions Committee Report	Rev. Ralph Stanley
7:25	Superintendent of Missions	Rev. I.V. Couch
7:50	State Missions Report	Mrs. Rex Whittington
7:55	Home Missions Report	Mrs. Lloyd Pardue
8:00	Foreign Missions Report	Rev. Allen Laymon
8:05	Hymn	
8:10	Special Recognition Service	
8:20	Special Music	
8:25	Message	Dr. Howard Ford
8:55	Adjourn	

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1972, BOILING SPRINGS CHURCH

Call to order

A.M.

- 9:00 Hymn
9:05 Welcome, Scripture and Prayer Rev. R.A. Call
9:10 History of Boiling Springs Church Mr. J.F. Jordan
9:20 Sunday School Report Rev. Henry Morgan
9:25 Vacation Bible School Report Rev. Glenn Byrd
9:30 Church Training Report Mrs. Rena Spicer
9:35 Music Report Mr. E.E. Sloan
9:40 Stewardship and Cooperative Program Report Rev. Clyde Church
9:45 Baptist State Convention Representative Rev. Ernest Upchurch
10:15 Ministers Conference Report Mr. E.E. Sloan
10:20 Baptist Foundation Mr. Gordon C. Maddrey
10:35 Historical Sketches of the Churches Mrs. Albert Holman
10:40 Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute Report Rev. Mace Johnson
10:45 Miscellaneous Business
11:00 Break
11:15 Hymn
11:20 Annuity Board Report Rev. N.C. Teague
11:25 Digest of Church Letters Rev. I.V. Couch
11:35 Time, Place and Preacher Rev. James Williams
11:40 Resolutions Committee Report Mrs. Floyd Jennings
11:45 In Memoriam Mrs. Gilbert Foster
11:55 Scripture and Prayer
P.M.
12:00 Special Music
12:05 Message on Missions Rev. E.W. McMurray
12:35 Adjourn

MESSENGERS REGISTERED 1972

Pastor of church listed first in bold type.

- BEAVER CREEK: REV. **JOE B. CROUCH**, Parks Hayes, Beatrice Hayes, Mrs. John Adams, Mrs. C.W. Ferguson
BOILING SPRINGS: REV. **R.A. CALL**, T.T. Yates, Sam Eller, Luther Parsons, Mrs. Rollen Bishop
CALVARY: REV. **FELLMAN CHEEK**, W.H. Minton, Alma Minton, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Eller
CUB CREEK: REV. **GLENN BYRD**, Mrs. Glenn Byrd, Martha Bauguess, Agnes Johnson, Mrs. Commie Johnson, Violet Carson
DAVIS MEMORIAL: REV. **W.H. CARROLL**, Annie Harris, Jettie Scott
EDGEWOOD: REV. **FRANK WALKER**, Mrs. Clifford Moore, Mrs. Dennis Brannock, J.W. Hayes, Felix Johnston, Mrs. Marshall Anderson, Jr.
ELK: REV. **JAMES R. WEAVER**, Mr. and Mrs. E.C. Eller, Jr., Mrs. Vena Dula
FISHING CREEK: REV. **VAUGHN BROWN**, Mrs. Millard Carlton, Mrs. Carl Miller, Evie Brooks, Opal Miller, Maggie Waddell, Mrs. Clyde Church
GORDON: REV. **BRYCE BARTON**, Alice Minton, Emma Jean Burgess, Mamie Cook
GOSHEN: REV. **JAMES E. WILLIAMS**, Mr. and Mrs. Hafford Baker, Irene Proffit, Mrs. Arnold Bumgamer, Mrs. Ernel Hollars

HARMONY: Fred LeFever, Arvie Broyhill, Mrs. Graham Smith, Velma Edminston
 HINSHAW STREET: DR. W.L. PITTS, Mrs. W.L. Pitts, Mrs. Ellen Faw, Mrs. Loree
 Brooks, Everette Elledge, Mrs. John Bungarner, Yvonne Pardue, Oma Deal
 LEWIS FORK: REV. SHERRILL WELLBORN, Albert Holman, Cecil Church, Edith Foster,
 Sadie Eller, Charles Triplett, Curtis Foster
 LIBERTY GROVE: REV. PAUL SHOUPPE, Lillie Reavis
 LITTLE ROCK: REV. CARL WALKER, Mrs. Carl Walker, Mrs. Everette Griffin, Mrs.
 R.B. Livingston, Linda Walsh
 MILLERS CREEK: REV. RALPH STANLEY, Mr. and Mrs. O.L. Phillips, Mrs. Phillip
 Day, Mrs. Virgil Church, Rena Spicer
 MORAVIAN FALLS: REV. E.W. McMURRAY, Rev. N.C. Teague, Jane Lowe, Mrs.
 Gilbert Foster, Mrs. Hal Hawkins
 MT. CARMEL: REV. PAUL LAWS, Nancy Lee Clanton, Mrs. Barbara Pipes, Mrs. J.G.
 Cardwell
 MT. PLEASANT: REV. J.C. SHAW, Mrs. Robert Hartzog, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Greene,
 Mrs. J.H. McKuhen, Maxine Church, J.C. McNeil
 MT. ZION: James Wooten, Mr. and Mrs. John Barnett, D.M. Triplett
 NEW HOPE: Hubert Canter, J. Lee Church, Roby Eller, Clinton Eller, Conrad Whitt-
 ington
 N. WILKESBORO FIRST: REV. ALLEN LAYMON, E.E. Sloan, Bob Wainwright, Mr. and
 Mrs. D.E. Elledge, Mrs. R.H. Llewellyn, R.H. Llewellyn, W.K. Sturdivant, Ray
 Shomaker, Mrs. W.A. Echelberger, Belva Gregory
 OAK GROVE: Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Yates, E.A. Trapp, Hansford Hodges
 OAKWOODS: REV. PHILLIP SWANSON, Doris Blevins, Mrs. Archie Anderson, Nora
 Laws
 PILGRIM: Mrs. Chester Brown, Mrs. Kermit Whittington, Mrs. Pete Williams, Mrs.
 Herschel Greene
 PLEASANT GROVE: Mrs. Ruby Nichols
 PLEASANT HOME: REV. GWYN BLACKBURN, Mrs. Gwyn Blackburn, Mrs. Gene Haire,
 Mrs. Ernest Walker, Mr. and Mrs. C.O. Lovette, Mrs. Russell Trivette
 PURLEAR: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hayes, Mrs. Don Nichols, Mrs. Howard Wingler
 ROARING RIVER: REV. MICHAEL ALMOND
 ROCKY CREEK: Mrs. Clarence Minton, Mrs. Gene Fletcher
 SHADY GROVE: REV. FLOYD MINTON, Guye Eller, Donald Owens, Mrs. Macy Min-
 ton
 SHARON WALKER: Mrs. Eugene Hartley, Mrs. Frank Hartley, Mrs. Wake Payne, Mrs.
 Hoit Messick
 STONY HILL: Mr. and Mrs. G.H. Shoun, Fred Huffman, C.M. Hamby
 WALNUT GROVE: REV. OWEN JOHNSON, Mrs. Mack Brock, Mrs. Henry Lowe, Mrs.
 Marvin Ashley, Mrs. Edmond Ashley, Betty Benge, Bertha Hodges
 WELCOME HOME: Mrs. G.L. Michael, M.W. Snider, Mr. and Mrs. Gwyn Eller, Mrs.
 E.R. Fox, Mrs. C.O. Parsons
 WILKESBORO: Robert Triplett, Rev. and Mrs. L.V. Couch, Mrs. Charlie Steelman,
 Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson, Pearl Bungarner, J.F. Jordan.
 ZION HILL: B.S. Osborne, Mrs. Turner Church, Mrs. Floyd Edminston, Jr., Ralph
 Caldwell, Lillie Watts
 REGISTERED VISITORS WITHIN THE ASSOCIATION - 73

REGISTERED VISITORS FROM OUTSIDE ASSOCIATION

Calvin Knight, Baptist Hospital; T. Sloane Guy, Wake Forest University; Dr. J.
 Roy Robinson, Gardner Webb College; William A. Sisk, Mills Home; William Poole,

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST ANNUAL SESSION
OF THE
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
HELD WITH
NEW HOPE AND BOILING SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCHES

October 3-4, 1972

NOTE: BOR is used in the Proceedings for the Book of Reports.

1. The 101st Annual Session of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association was called to order by the Moderator, the Rev. J.C. Shaw, Jr., at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, October 3, 1972 at New Hope Baptist Church. The congregation was led in singing Hymn no. 4, Broadman Hymnal, "Come Thou Almighty King" by Rev. I.V. Couch, pianist, Elihu Sloan.

2. Rev. I.V. Couch, Supt. of Missions, extended a warm welcome to everyone and led in a period of worship, reading from I Corinthians and stressing the Theme "Together We Advance", and concluded with prayer.

3. The Report of the Committee on Order of Business was presented by Mrs. Hal Hawkins. She presented the program which was adopted as printed.

4. The Roll Call of Churches was read by the clerk, Mrs. Albert Holman. Final registration for the two days showed every church represented except Bethany, Cricket, Friendly Grove and N. Wilkesboro Second. Attendance the first day - 253; second day - 157; making a total attendance for the two days of 410. There were 258 registered messengers and visitors from the churches and 16 Visitors from outside the association. There were 24 pastors present representing the churches. Rev. I.V. Couch recognized new pastors that had come to the association during the year, and welcomed all visitors. The Moderator recognized all pastors present.

5. Nominating Committee Report, page 1, BOR, was presented by Rev. Joe Crouch with one change under Church Training Officers. Mrs. Steve Steele for Mrs. Caney Lowe as Preschool Leader. Motion was made, seconded and passed to approve report.

6. Rev. N.C. Teague presented the Committee on Committees Report, page 3, BOR, with one change. Rev. Paul Shoupe for Bob Wainwright as Director of School of Christian Studies. Motion made and passed to accept the report.

7. Rev. J.C. Shaw recognized Rev. Gwyn Blackburn as new Vice-Moderator and Rev. Blackburn recognized Rev. Shaw for the Executive Committee Report, page 7, BOR, which was moved on and approved.

8. The Treasurer's Report, page 23, BOR, was presented by Chalmer Dyer with a motion to adopt report, Seconded and passed. Mr. Dyer thanked everyone for their cooperation during the years he had served as treasurer.

9. The Finance Committee Report, page 21, BOR, was presented by Mr. J.R. Priester with a motion to adopt. Second and passed.

10. Mr. J.F. Jordan gave the Trustees Report, page 3, BOR, Adopted.

11. The congregation was led in singing Hymn no. 153, Broadman Hymnal, "Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone", by Rev. Gwyn Blackburn, pianist, Elihu Sloan.

12. There was no report from the Properties Committee.

13. The Children's Homes Report, page 5, BOR, was presented and approved. Rev. Bill Sisk, from Mills Home, spoke to the report.

14. There was no printed report on Christian Higher Education. Rev. Couch introduced speakers from three colleges who spoke for Christian Education; J. Roy Robinson - Gardner-Webb; Gene Phillips - Meredith College; T. Sloane Guy - Wake Forest. Rev. Paul Shoupe made some comments about the value of a Christian Education.

15. The Hospital Report, page 9, BOR, was presented by Rev. L.V. Couch with a motion to adopt. Seconded and passed. Calvin Knight, Baptist Hospital, Winston Salem, spoke to the report.

16. Homes for the Aging Report, page 19, BOR, was given by Rev. Gwyn Blackburn, Motion made, seconded and passed to adopt the report, William Poole spoke to the report.

17. Break

18. Rev. J.C. Shaw recognized New Hope Baptist Church as being where the association met 100 years ago. The congregation sung "Happy Birthday to New Hope Church".

19. Hymn no. 1, Broadman Hymnal, "All Hail the Power", led by Rev. Gwyn Blackburn, pianist, Ellihu Sloan.

20. The Biblical Recorder Report, page 4, BOR, was presented by Mr. D.E. Elledge. The report was adopted. Mr. Elledge introduced Rev. Woodrow Hill, representative from the Biblical Recorder, who spoke to the report.

21. The History of New Hope Church, page 16, BOR, was given by Mr. J.F. Jordan.

22. The American Bible Society Report, page 10, BOR, was presented by Rev. Joe Crouch with a motion to adopt. Seconded and passed.

23. Rev. Gwyn Blackburn presented the General Board Report, page 14, BOR. Motion to accept report was made, seconded and passed.

24. Rev. E.W. McMurray presented the Evangelism Report, page 5, BOR, with a motion to adopt report. Second and passed.

25. During the period of Miscellaneous Business, Mrs. Rena Spicer made a motion that the 1972 Annual be dedicated to Miss Lunda Hendren in recognition of her faithful work in the association. The motion was seconded and passed.

Dr. W.L. Pitts, Chairman of Constitution Committee, recommended the following change in the constitution: Under BY-LAWS, number 1, "The association shall convene annually on the first Tuesday of October for one day and on Tuesday night of the first day of the association in the judgement of the Committee on Order of Business and subject to the approval of the association."

A motion was made by J.F. Jordan that the vote of the Executive Committee to sell the associational property be rescinded. The motion was seconded by Clyde Church. The floor was opened for debate. After much discussion, pro and con, on the feasibility of relocating the property, the association voted to stop the debate. The motion to rescind the vote of the Executive Committee was restated and passed by a majority vote of the association.

26. Rev. Shaw ask the congregation to stand for a moment of silent prayer in memory of Rev. Morris Baker.

27. Prayer by Rev. J.C. Shaw.

28. Mr. Phil Wilson sang "Yesterday, Today, Tomorrow", accompanied by Ellihu Sloan at the piano.

29. An inspiring message was brought by Rev. Ralph Stanley. His topic was "We are not our Own" with scripture from I Corinthians 6:19-20.

30. Meeting adjourned with prayer and blessing for the noon meal. A delicious lunch was served by the host church.

TUESDAY NIGHT

31. The Tuesday night session, "Special Mission Emphasis Night" was called

to order by the Moderator, Rev. J.C. Shaw, at 7:00 p.m., October 3, 1972, at Wilkesboro Baptist Church. The congregation sang Hymn no. 463, Baptist Hymnal, "Forward Through the Ages" led by Rev. Gwyn Blackburn, organist, Ellihu Sloan, Rev. Allen Laymon led in prayer.

32. The WMU Report, page 10, BOR, was presented by Virginia Jarvis. The report was accepted.

33. Baptist Men's Report, page 19, BOR, presented by Ray Shomaker, was adopted.

34. Rev. Ralph Stanley presented the report of the Missions Committee, page 18, BOR, which was accepted. Rev. Couch spoke to the report further explaining areas of his work. He read Scripture from Matthew 10 and spoke on the duty of the church to support their pastor financially.

35. The State Missions Report, page 13, BOR, was presented by Mrs. Rex Whittington and moved for adoption. Seconded and passed.

36. The Home Missions Report, page 11, BOR, was adopted as printed.

37. Rev. Allen Laymon gave the Foreign Missions Report, page 11, BOR, and moved its adoption. Second and passed.

38. The congregation sang Hymn no. 456, Baptist Hymnal, "O God We Pray For All Mankind" led by Rev. Gwyn Blackburn with Ellihu Sloan at the organ.

39. Rev. Shaw recognized Rev. I.V. Couch for a Special Recognition Service. Rev. Couch recognized Miss Lunda Hendren for her 27 years as Associational Training Union Director. He asked her to come to the podium and expressed to her the associations appreciation. Rena Spicer, the present Church Training Director, presented Miss Hendren with a lovely corsage, and Mr. Sam O'Neal, State Church Training Director, expressed his appreciation to her and presented her a Certificate of Merit from the Baptist State Convention, Church Training Department.

40. Rev. Shaw introduced the Director of State Missions of N. C., Dr. Howard Ford.

41. Special music was provided by Mr. Charles Billings from Zion Hill Church. He sang "Make Me A Blessing".

42. Dr. Howard Ford brought an inspiring message using the theme: "Together We Advance" speaking of the growth of Baptist and what we can accomplish in the future.

43. The session adjourned with prayer by Mr. John McKuhen from Mt. Pleasant Church.

WEDNESDAY SESSION

44. The second day of the 101st Annual Meeting of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association was called to order by the Moderator, Rev. J.C. Shaw, at 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, October 4, 1972, at Boiling Springs Baptist Church. The congregation sang Hymn no. 6, Broadman Hymnal, "Holy, Holy, Holy", led by Rev. Gwyn Blackburn, pianist, Ellihu Sloan.

45. Rev. R.A. Call, host pastor, extended a warm welcome to everyone, read Scripture from Titus 2 and led in prayer.

46. The History of Boiling Springs Baptist Church, page 16, BOR, was read by Mr. J.F. Jordan.

47. Rev. I.V. Couch presented the Sunday School Report, page 14, BOR, with a motion to adopt. Seconded and passed.

48. The VBS Report, page 14, BOR, was presented by Rev. Glenn Byrd. Adopted.

49. Mrs. Rena Spicer gave the Church Training Report, page 6, BOR, and made a motion to adopt. Second and passed. Mrs. I.V. Couch spoke to the report concerning the "Festival of the Arts".

50. The Music Report, page 2, BOR, was given by Ellihu Sloan. Moved, second and passed.

51. The Stewardship and Cooperative Program Report, page 20, BOR, was presented by Rev. I.V. Couch and moved for adoption, Second and passed. Rev. Ernest Upchurch, Baptist State Convention Representative, spoke on the Cooperative Program for World Missions. He used as his Scripture, Matthew 28:19-20 and Luke 4.

52. The Ministers' Conference Report, page 22, BOR, was presented by Ellihu Sloan. Adopted.

53. Rev. I.V. Couch presented the Baptist Foundation Report, page 8, BOR, for adoption. Rev. Ernest Upchurch spoke to the report for C. Gordon Maddrey.

54. The Historical Sketches of the Churches was given by Mrs. Albert Holman, Clerk.

55. The Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute Report, page 8, BOR, was given by Rev. Ralph Stanley with a motion to accept. Second and passed.

56. During the Miscellaneous Business Period, Dr. W.L. Pitts presented the motion for the change in the Constitution as stated in Tuesdays session, "The association shall convene annually on the first Tuesday of October for one day and on Tuesday night of the first day of the association in the judgement of the Committee on Order of Business and subject to the approval of the association." Bob Wainwright amended the motion to read 'the night session shall be on Monday night preceding the full day session on Tuesday'. Motion carried as amended.

The Moderator appointed a Nominating Committee composed of Rev. Paul Shoupe, Chm., Mr. Robert Triplett and Mrs. Clate Bungamer; and the Committee on Committees as Rev. Ralph Stanley, Chm., Mrs. Albert Holman, Mrs. I.V. Couch, Rev. R.A. Call, Mr. Gary McNeil and Mr. Conrad Shaw.

57. Report on the School of Christian Studies, page 4, BOR, was given by Bob Wainwright with a motion to adopt. Seconded and passed. He thanked everyone for their help, interest and support in the Wilkes Area Crusade.

58. Rev. I.V. Couch drew attention to the 1972-73 Calendar, pages 25-28, BOR, and moved for its adoption. Second and passed.

59. Break

60. Rev. Gwyn Blackburn led the congregation in singing Hymn no. 117, Broadman Hymnal, "Send the Light".

61. The Annuity Board Report, page 3, BOR, was presented by Rev. N.C. Teague. Moved, seconded and passed.

62. The Digest of Church Letters was presented by Rev. I.V. Couch.

63. Time, Place and Preacher Report was given by Rev. James Williams and accepted as stated. Monday night, October 1, 1973 - Fishing Creek Church, Speaker; Rev. I.V. Couch. Tuesday, October 2, 1973 - Pleasant Home Church, Speaker; Rev. Carl Walker, Alternate; Rev. Glenn Byrd.

64. The Report of the Resolutions Committee was read by Mrs. Rena Spicer and moved for adoption. Second and passed.

65. "In Memoriam" was given by Mrs. Gilbert Foster.

66. Dr. W.L. Pitts read Scripture, Matthew 28:19-20 and John 17:18-19, and led in prayer.

67. Mrs. Glenn Byrd sang "I'll Tell The World", accompanied by Ellihu Sloan at the organ.

68. The Mission Message was brought by Rev. E.W. McMurray.

69. Benediction and blessing for the noon meal by Rev. J.C. Shaw.

70. Lunch was served by the host church.

REPORTS

HISTORICAL SKETCHES

- ELK: W.M.U. sponsoring Missionary child. Purchased piano, painted interior and exterior of church and started the Retirement Plan for pastor.
- FISHING CREEK: Celebrated 150th Anniversary.
- FRIENDLY GROVE: Remodeled one Sunday School room.
- GOSHEN: Paved parking lot, around the church to highway 268.
- PILGRIM: Started full time preaching service on Sunday mornings.
- PLEASANT HOME: Ordained three new deacons.
- ROARING RIVER: Installed carpet in church and Sunday school rooms.
- SHADY GROVE: Called Floyd Minton as pastor, Sept. 3, 1972.
- SHARON WALKER: Dug a basement for Sunday school rooms, Installed new furnace.
- WALNUT GROVE: Set out walnut trees, built steps and walkway on one side of church, purchased dehumidifier and 6 picnic tables with storage cart for basement. Purchased 75 new hymn books.
- WELCOME HOME: Steve Ashley answered the call to preach.
- WILKESBORO: In March, 1972, Hillcrest Mission, which had been sponsored by this church, organized and chartered Hillcrest Baptist Church.

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

Darold H. Morgan took office as president of the Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention on March 1, 1972. R. Alton Reed, whom he succeeded, had been Chief Executive Officer of the Board for 19 years.

The change in executive leadership occurred with the Board having record funds held in trust of more than \$292 million, as of December 31, 1971. These funds are held in trust for 36,000 retirement participants now active in churches and denominational agencies.

During the administration of R. Alton Reed, the Annuity Board eliminated its "unfunded liability" which meant that potential claims for benefits exceeded assets. The Board is now in a position not only to fully meet every outstanding contract with members, but to grant Good Experience Credit as well. The good yield on investments has permitted extra benefits to annuitants which are called "13th Checks" and "Good Experience Credits".

The Annuity Board offers a protection plan for disability, death, and retirement to cover every pastor, church staff member, and denominational agency employee. Many churches help by paying in full the dues for their pastor and staff. Retirement contributions may be made on the full salaries of pastors and other personnel by taking advantage of Plans B and C as well as Plan A. Information on the Annuity Board and all its benefits plans may be secured by writing its development office, 511 N. Akard Building, Dallas, Texas 75201, or by contacting the Annuity Board Representative of our Baptist State Convention, Raleigh, N. C. In the Brushy Mountain Association the association itself and 24 of the 41 churches and 27 staff members are enrolled in the Protection Program.

Highlights of 1971:

Total Active Members in:

Plan A of Protection Program	21,774
Churches billed in Plan A	18,796
Plan B of Protection Program	12,620

Plan C of Protection Program	4,544
Health Benefit Plan	14,721
Life Benefit Plan	5,056
New Group Insurance (Church)	6,870
New Group Insurance (Agency)	11,577
Agencies with Plans	161
Total Benefits Paid Out	\$10,051,790

Respectfully submitted,
N.C. Teague

TRUSTEES REPORT

The trustees beg leave to make the following report on the associational parsonage, office and land purchased in October 1955 as follows:

Expenses for work done on the parsonage:

Quality Builders Supply Co. - \$15.63
 Wilkes Paint and Glass Co. - \$7.13
 B and R Service Inc. - \$37.06
 Vannoy and Lankford - \$15.73
 Lyn Ashley \$20.00

Respectfully submitted,
J.F. Jordan
 Hal B. Hawkins
 W.K. Sturdivant

1972 SCHOOL OF CHRISTIAN STUDIES REPORT

Two classes were held at the Wilkesboro Baptist Church beginning in March 1972. They were as follows:

CLASS	TEACHER	NO. ENR.
New Testament 272 (Study of Book of Acts)	Rev. Paul Shoupe	11
Religious Education 315 (Study of teaching methods)	Rev. Bob Wainwright	10

This was the best attended school we have had in several years. We want to commend those churches who paid the tuition and book fees for Sunday School teachers from their church to attend. This is an excellent way for churches to provide meaningful training opportunities for their teachers.

Those enrolled in the classes were:

NEW TESTAMENT 272
 Mrs. Dorothy White
 Mrs. Virginia Jarvis
 Mrs. Lloyd Pardue
 Pete Lovette
 Tam S. Hutchinson
 Mrs. Richard Jarvis
 Ray Tolbert
 Miss Pearl Bumgarner
 Floyd Coffey
 Mrs. Linda Joines
 Mrs. Elsie Welborn

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION 315
 Gary McNeil
 Mrs. Lola Shomaker
 Mrs. Zelma Helton
 Rowan Motsinger
 Mrs. Dale Brown
 Miss Gail Roten
 C.R. Carty
 Troy Absher
 Miss Brenda Blevins
 Miss Kathy Link

Respectfully submitted,
Bob Wainwright, Director School of Christian Studies

In Memoriam

- BEAVER CREEK: Mr. L.C. Matherly, Mr. Lawrence Wolfe
BOILING SPRINGS: Mrs. Ora Eller, Mrs. Mae Huffman
CUB CREEK: Mrs. Nettie Haynes, Mrs. W.M. Church, Mr. Claude Hill
DAVIS MEMORIAL: Mrs. Darcus Marley, Mrs. Ida Lou Bumgarner
EDGEWOOD: Richard W. Bouchelle
ELK: Mr. Edd Dula, Mrs. Annie McNeil, Mrs. Ellen Hamby, Mrs. Anna W. McNeil
FRIENDLY GROVE: Mr. Roland Englebert
FISHING CREEK: Mr. J.W. Pardue, Deacon
GORDON: Mrs. Carrie Miller
HARMONY: Mr. Corn Dancy
HINSHAW STREET: Mrs. Maude Handy, Mrs. Nannie Walker, Mr. Van Wood, Mr. Roby Jennings
LEWIS FORK: Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Shepherd
LITTLE ROCK: Mr. Thomas Parsons, Mr. Carl Ferguson, Mr. Arvil Johnson, Deacon
MT. PLEASANT: Mrs. Susan Jane Triplett, Mr. Ed Blackburn, Mrs. Minnie M. Sisk, Mr. Jessie Calvin Church, Deacon
MT. ZION: Mrs. Ida Welch
NEW HOPE: Mr. Carl Church, Mr. Blaine Church, Mrs. Conrad Whittington
N. WILKESBORO FIRST: Miss Mae Foster, Mr. W.F. Campbell, Mrs. J.B. Gilreath, Mr. Duane Church, Mr. R.H. McNeil, Mr. Cleve Beshears, Mrs. E.P. Inscore, Mr. Tracy Higgins, Mr. Cyrus Wiles, Mrs. R.P. Casey, Mrs. H.L. Keller, Mr. C.S. Hudson, Sr.
N. WILKESBORO SECOND: Mr. W.L. Blackburn, Mr. Curtis Blevins, Deacon
OAKWOODS: Mrs. Jean Pierce, Mr. Fred Johnson
PLEASANT GROVE: Mr. Ed Anderson, Mr. Roby Nichols, Mr. Willie T. Laws, Deacon
PLEASANT HOME: Mr. Don Trent, Mr. Vestal Faw
PURLEAR: Mr. D.C. Whittington, Deacon
ROARING RIVER: Mr. J.P. Pardue
SHADY GROVE: Mrs. Armada Teague, Mrs. Annie Lou Minton, Mrs. Flossie Nichols
SHARON WALKER: Mr. T.R. Barlos, Deacon
STONY HILL: Mr. Hobert Phillips, Mrs. J.W. Huffman
WALNUT GROVE: Mr. Bennie Brookshire, Mrs. Leroy Eller, Mrs. Julia Brown Greer, Mrs. Ila Laws Jackson, Mrs. Agnes Greer Reavis
WILKESBORO: Mr. T.E. Story, St., Deacon Emeritus, Mrs. Sarah J. Wilson, Mr. Claude L. Kennedy, Mrs. W.E. Smithey, Mrs. W.E. Linney, Mr. Presley Myers, Deacon, Mr. Lloyd Pardue, Deacon

REPORT OF THE BIBLICAL RECORDER

The BIBLICAL RECORDER is nearing the 100,000 mark in circulation -- thanks to churches and individuals all over the state who have helped to bring this about. Once this goal is reached, new ones will be set as part of a continuing effort to put the RECORDER in every Baptist home in North Carolina.

Not only in circulation progress, but in other ways this has been a good year for the RECORDER. During the year, Woodrow W. Hill, well-known pastor and writer, came with the RECORDER as field representative. He will be speaking in associations, churches, pastors' conferences and in other meetings all over the state. Thus he will join the editor and associate editor in seeking to carry the RECORDER message to every corner of North Carolina.

This was also the year that the RECORDER went to the computer. Because of the growing circulation, this had to be done.

As it has in the past, the RECORDER seeks to keep North Carolina Baptists informed on important issues. This is a heavy responsibility and the editor and his staff feel keenly the need of your prayers as they seek to be good stewards to North Carolina Baptists. If your church does not have the RECORDER in the budget, or if it does not have a club at all, please take the leadership in seeing that this situation is corrected in the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,
D.E. Elledge

CHILDREN'S HOMES REPORT

For the past eighty-seven years, North Carolina Baptists and their Children's Homes have cooperated in a program of Christian child care. This annual report finds the agency vigorously pursuing its basic purposes. Changing patterns of family life and the involvement of government in social ministries profoundly affect the number of children needing our care and the types of care needed. More and more we are being asked to serve children with special needs beyond neglect and dependency; emotional alienation from family; trouble with the court; borderline retardation; emotional disturbance which requires professional treatment. The urgency of the present and the challenge of the future is to find effective patterns of care for these children.

The Baptist Children's Homes will not be content to provide minimal care only. We are committed to quality care which can enable the child to develop his full potential. Quality care costs. It makes heavy demands on the individual staff member, requires more staff members for the number of children served and necessitates the purchase of supplementary professional services, such as medical and psychological specialists. The Cooperative Program continues to be the lifeblood of our financial support. The 1971 Thanksgiving Offering channeled \$400,000 into our ministry of child care. Special gifts and bequests from individuals continue to provide for capital improvements. We deeply appreciate this generous support, and we pledge ourselves to continue this ministry of child care in the name of Christ and on behalf of North Carolina Baptists.

Respectfully submitted,
Lewis Hill Jenkins

EVANGELISM REPORT

It is exciting what the Holy Spirit is doing through the ministry of evangelism in our state, 6,000 youth and adults in 425 churches have now participated in Lay Evangelism Schools or Pastor's Retreats. Forty-two associations already have confirmed dates for schools. We thank God for this tremendous response. Over 2,400 pastors and lay persons attended the 26th Statewide Evangelism Conference in Fayetteville last February.

A new week at the North Carolina Baptist Assembly at Southport during June 12 - 16 was Youth Ministries Week with inspiration and training in Evangelism, Vocational Guidance and Recreation. Over 600 youth and adults were present for the week. On Friday evening 113 youth made different kinds of public decision.

Let us rejoice in the excellent reports of revival meetings, city-wide evangelistic crusades and associational evangelism clinics during the past year.

Arthur Blessitt was Evangelist for the Statewide Youth Evangelism Night, Greensboro Coliseum, August 18, 1972, with 14,500 N. C. Baptist young people attending. Many young people answered the call to commitment. A bus from the Brushy Mountain Association carried 38 youth and adults from churches in the association to the service.

During the Wilkes Area Crusade for Christ some 20,000 attended the meetings during August 25 through September 3. There were 385 Inquirers with 35% of them accepting Christ for the first time. Most of our Baptist churches cooperated in the crusade for which we are grateful.

Respectfully submitted,
E. W. McMurray

CHURCH TRAINING REPORT

Shortly after the beginning of the '71 - '72 associational year, Church Pastors and Directors met, choosing committees for election of officers and the planning of December 6 "M" Night.

The following served in places of leadership for the '71 - '72 year; secretary, Mr. Blaine Church; Director of New Church Membership, Mrs. Jessie Walsh; Director of Church Leadership Training, Mr. Gary McNeil; Adult Leader, Mr. Harold Tedder; Youth, Mrs. I. V. Couch; Youth Rally Counselor, Mr. Herman Gruber; Children, Mrs. Wayne Phillips; and Preschool, Mrs. Caney Lowe. It was with much sadness our secretary passed away and Mr. Wayne Phillips acted as secretary.

"Living the Spirit of Christ in Expectancy and Creativity" has been the years' theme. "M" Night, held on a very rainy December night, projected the theme throughout as the 94 persons present learned of new programs as Bible Blitz, Festival of Creative Arts, WIN, and the School of Christian Studies. An exciting drama, by a youth group of Pleasant Home and Millers Creek churches, was staged; and the youth choir from First Baptist voiced unusual special music. Rev. Paul Shoupe, Pastor of Liberty Grove Baptist Church, challenged all in the closing message to be better trained workmen for God, using the resources available to us. Oh, yes, we met "C.T." at "M" Night. Have you?

A "Festival of Creative Arts", with Wilkesboro, Oakwoods and Millers Creek Churches participating; was held Sunday afternoon, May 21, with the Oakwoods Church. It is hoped that all of our churches will conduct their own Creative Arts Festival this next year and come together for associational talent sharing. A church does not need a Training Union to participate. Two of the above churches have reg-

istered with the State Training Union Department and are eligible to participate in one of the three state festivals. All churches are invited to attend, along with them, the Festival nearest us at First Church, Morganton, October 27-28, 1972.

This summer, our Adult Leader, Mr. Harold Tedder and his family attended Church Training week at our N.C. Baptist Assembly, Southport. Your Director (with our former director's assistance) attended a "cram-packed" informative C.T. week at Ridgecrest. It is my desire to help and to share this information with you as you desire and invite me to do so in the organizing of a Training Union, New Church Members Classes, Festival of the Arts, WIN or Bible Blitz Teams. In February of this year, Miss Lunda Hendren and I were invited to Bethany to talk with the people there about the broad area of Church Training.

"Sharing Christ" is the theme for the next 5 years for Southern Baptist, with emphasis for '72 - '73 being -- "Sharing Christ Through His Word".

Every committee of every church will have an opportunity to learn how to be more effective in the place of church leadership, as a "Church Committees Training Night (or nights - no more than 2)" is in the planning stage for the '72 - '73 year.

New Church Member Classes, studying A NEW COMMITMENT by Clifford Ingle, cannot be stressed too strongly as to importance to new Christians and members of our congregations, especially now, following the Wilkes Area Crusade for Christ.

Training is the answer! It provides the motivation and knowledge needed to make our churches effective in worship, fellowship, Bible study, ministering and witnessing.

Respectfully submitted,
Rena Spicer, Church Training Dir.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

The Executive Committee of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association met for its four regular meetings in November, February, May and August.

At the November meeting, a recommendation was accepted for the Associational Treasurer to close his financial records August 31 to correspond with the churches records. A motion was made and passed to increase the Superintendent of Missions retirement under Plan B of the Annuity Program, which would amount to an additional \$120 per year.

At the meeting in February, a motion was made to form a committee composed of the present Properties Committee - Dale McNeil, Harry Foster and Cecil Porter, plus three others, namely, Cecil Kilby, J.C. Hayes and Kermit Whittington - to investigate possibly relocating the Association Office to a more convenient location. The purpose, to increase the effectiveness of the associational work. Motion carried.

At the August Meeting, Rev. Couch reported that the committee had been working on the possibility of relocating the associations property and had established an evaluation of \$40,000 on the present property, which was as far as they could go without further authorization. A motion was made by Dr. W.L. Pitts to give this committee authority to dispose of the property at a sum of \$40,000, or in the neighborhood of \$40,000. Allen Laymon seconded the motion. Discussion and passed by vote.

The following recommendations from the Missions Committee were accepted by motion, Second and vote:

1. To sponsor a class to teach people how to teach illiterates to read, and to

give the money (appr. \$20) left from the expense of the Deacons School to help with this.

2. To hold a Stewardship Program in each church that wanted to participate in November 1973.
3. To have World Missions Conference in 1974.
4. To have Missions Night on Tuesday night of the Annual Association Meeting.
5. To have an association-wide Committee Training Night to train different committees of the church.

On recommendation from Joe Crouch, chairman of the Nominating Committee, the following officers were elected: Henry Morgan, Director of Sunday School; Mrs. Rena Spicer, Church Training Director; Ray Shomaker, Brotherhood Director.

A motion was made by Allen Laymon that the Executive Committee ask the Constitution Committee to recommend to the Association at the Annual Meeting, a change in the meetings. The recommendation to be that there be one full day session and a night session instead of the two full day sessions. Motion seconded and passed.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. J.C. Shaw, Jr.

BAPTIST FOUNDATION REPORT

The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc., is a charitable corporation. It was chartered on November 24, 1920, under the laws of the State of North Carolina. As a charitable corporation, it and its donors presently have certain tax savings.

It was created by the Convention for the purpose of procuring endowment funds and for administering such funds, for all institutions and agencies, owned and controlled by the Convention. It is independent of the causes it serves, but committed to their best interests. It is not a competitive agency, but a service agency dedicated to the task of undergirding all of our Baptist work.

Any property owner who wishes to do so - Baptist or non-Baptist, resident or non-resident, man or woman, young or old, can use the Baptist Foundation through cash, securities (stocks, bonds, notes, mortgages); real property (farms, woodland, lots, houses); and any and every other kind of property, real or personal. These gifts can be in the form of a living trust, gift annuity, or by bequests and wills.

The Baptist Foundation stands ready at all times to aid individuals in making adequate preparation to use of the foregoing methods in providing for any agency or institution fostered by the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, or any of the Southern Baptist Convention agencies or institutions.

When one uses the Baptist Foundation, one is EXTENDING HIS STEWARDSHIP IN PERPETUITY. This can and does bring a great deal of satisfaction and joy to the person who uses the Foundation for this purpose.

If you have any further questions or need a representative to visit you, you may contact The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc., P.O. Box 26508, Raleigh, N.C. 27611.

Respectfully submitted,
Gordon C. Maddrey

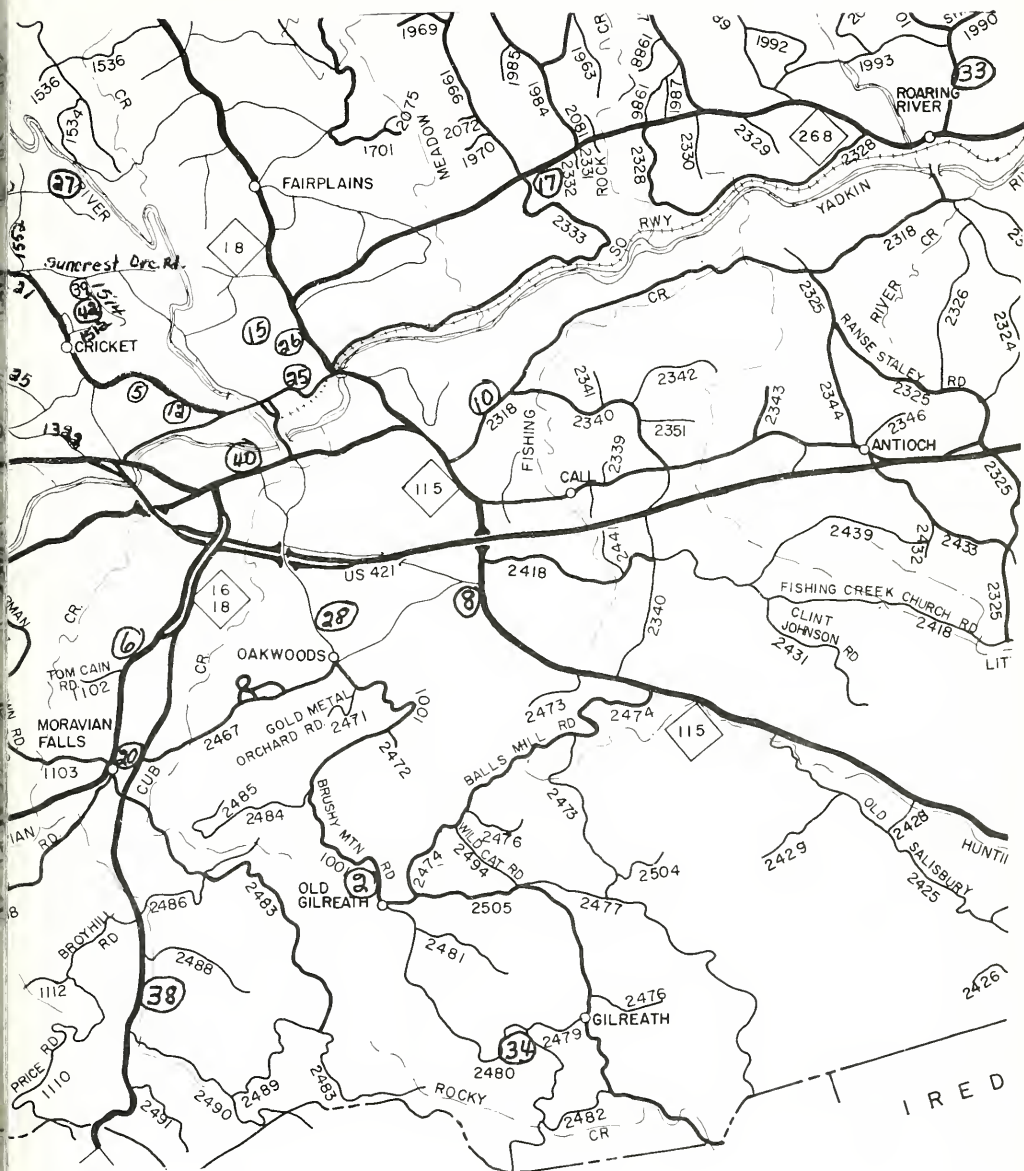
REPORT ON FRUITLAND BAPTIST BIBLE INSTITUTE

As the school year began tragedy struck. The main classroom building was burned by a fire which was set. Our hearts were broken but God in His wonderful



CODE CHURCH

1	Beaver Creek	8	Edgewood	15	Hinshaw Street
2	Bethany	9	Elk	16	Lewis Fork
3	Boiling Springs	10	Fishing Creek	17	Liberty Grove
4	Calvary	11	Friendly Grove	18	Little Rock
5	Cricket	12	Gordon	19	Millers Creek
6	Cub Creek	13	Goshen	20	Moravian Falls
7	Davis Memorial	14	Harmony	21	Mt. Carmel



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| 2 Mt. Pleasant | 29 Pilgrim | 36 Sharon Walker |
| 3 Mt. Zion | 30 Pleasant Grove | 37 Stony Hill |
| 4 New Hope | 31 Pleasant Home | 38 Walnut Grove |
| 5 N. Wilkesboro First | 32 Purlear | 39 Welcome Home |
| 6 N. Wilkesboro Second | 33 Roaring River | 40 Wilkesboro |
| 7 Oak Grove | 34 Rocky Creek | 41 Zion Hill |
| 8 Oakwoods | 35 Shady Grove | 42 Assoc. Office |

way once again provided for us. Fruitland Baptist Church opened its doors to us, for which we shall always be grateful. Our classes were able to continue without anyone missing their scheduled classes. Many churches gave money to help replace our loss. To all we are grateful, but without the Baptist State Convention we could not have replaced it. This beautiful new building is expected to be completed and in use by October 15. It will be called the 'Crouch Building' and a dedication service has been set for November 28.

As school closed May 26 there were 55 who graduated, of which 40 were from North Carolina; 13 from South Carolina; 1 from Virginia and 1 from West Virginia. As school began in late August, a check with E. Gary Harthcock tells us the enrolment this year is the largest in the history of the school with 211 enrolled. 159 from North Carolina; 43 from South Carolina; 1 from Maryland; 1 from Tennessee; 6 from Virginia; and 1 from West Virginia; and an age distribution of - 33 under 25; 44 from age 25 to 29; 96 from 30 to 39; 33 from 40 to 49; 4 from 50 to 59 and 1 over age 60. The educational level runs from the 5th grade through 2 years of college. I ask you to pledge and support this school, the Cooperative Program and our N.C. Baptist Convention and please GIVE TO STATE MISSIONS.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Mace Johnson

BAPTIST HOSPITAL REPORT

The distinctiveness of Baptist Hospital's ministry lies not alone in its care for charity patients, but also in the type of service it renders to all its patients, and to many other people throughout our state and nation and around the world.

As an academic Medical Center it is engaged in research and in education, as well as direct patient care. The ministry through research is far-reaching since new discoveries in medicine offer new hope to people everywhere. The educational ministry also extends around the world, since graduates of the Bowman Gray School of Medicine serve in 88 counties of North Carolina, in 47 states and the District of Columbia, and in 25 different countries. Alumni of the School of Pastoral Care serve in almost every state and in 39 other countries.

The quality of direct patient care provided at Baptist Hospital is distinct in at least two respects. First, it is a specialized type of medical care, provided for referral patients who have rare or complicated medical problems. Because of the highly-skilled specialists in almost every area of medicine, and the elaborate equipment available for diagnosis and treatment, we are able to provide the kind of care which is available only in a large medical center. Ours is one of only 108 such medical centers in the United States.

In addition to offering this kind of medical expertise, a second distinctive of our patient care is the Christian concern for the total person with all his needs. This spirit is found among physicians, nurses, aides, and other personnel throughout the Center. The Department of Pastoral Care seeks to minister specifically to the spiritual and emotional needs of patients and their families.

Baptist Hospital does continue to serve patients who cannot pay for their hospital care. Even with the tightening of admission policies and procedures, only one person in twelve months -- i.e., one in approximately 17,000 applications for admissions--was not helped. In 1971, charitable allowances amounting to \$1,370,000 were issued to patients unable to pay in full. The Mother's Day Offering of \$371,000 helped make this charity work possible. I am happy to report that at least 2 Wilkes County families were helped through the Mother's Day Offering last year. For one

family there was partial help on the bill. The other patient was in the hospital less than 24 hours and his bill was \$3,900. This complete amount was paid by the Mother's Day Offering.

The hospital takes pride in its record of charitable work, but would like to help our Baptist people to understand that there are other aspects of its work also which justify its existence as an institution of our Convention and make it worthy of the support of our churches.

The operating deficit has been eliminated and the hospital is now operating "in the black."

The new patient tower is being completed and some departments have already moved into the lower levels. Complete occupation should take place by January, 1973. One additional unit, a two story unit housing the emergency room and outpatient clinic, is scheduled to be completed by 1973. This will conclude the present development program.

"A Medical Center ministering with skill and understanding" is not just a letter-head slogan; it is a goal which Baptist Hospital seriously strives to attain.

Respectfully submitted,
Jack Boston, Hospital Representative

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY REPORT

The American Bible Society is an active partner of Southern Baptist in the missionary task of sharing Christ with the whole world - a task which calls for the widest possible distribution of the Scripture. It is the sole purpose of your American Bible Society to provide this book to men, women and children everywhere in a language they can understand and at a price they can afford.

At the present time 97% of the world's population can secure at least a portion (a single book of the Bible) in their own language, available in approximately 3000 translations. They are presently at work on some six hundred new translations and revisions. At the close of 1971, at least one book of the Bible had been published in 1,457 languages and dialects.

During 1971 the American Bible Society distributed 90,129,921 Scriptures within the United States; supplied 53% of the 1971 United Bible Society's World Services budget, thereby providing over one half of the 1971 world distribution total last year - 173 million Scriptures, and provided 747,131 Scriptures in special format. Presented Dr. Porter Routh the symbolic 25 millionth copy of "Good News For Modern Man"; increased distribution of complete Bibles to members of the armed services through Chaplains, reaching 54,490 copies for an increase of 33% over 1970; distributed through Home Missionaries of the Southern Baptist Convention over 300,000 Scriptures.

Southern Baptist consider the American Bible Society an essential part of their own world-wide mission program and believe in the missionary importance of giving to the Society. Southern Baptist gave \$240,249 in the year 1971. The help of every Southern Baptist Church is needed.

Respectfully submitted,
Joe B. Crouch

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION REPORT

The Associational WMU Council met quarterly to plan and promote the work of the organization.

One of the highlights of the year was a Leadership Training Course held at Wilkesboro Baptist Church on October 18 and 19. Leaders from the State WMU office assisted in this training. There were 13 churches represented by a total attendance of 60.

The Annual WMU Meeting was held April 20 at Hinshaw Street Baptist Church. Our guest was missionary Gary Milburn, who has served in Kenya and Tanzania. Officers for 1972-73 were elected pending approval by the association.

The WMU and Brotherhood sponsored the RA and GA World Mission Camp for third graders. The camp was held May 27 at Warrior Creek camping area. We are grateful to Bob Wainwright for the splendid job he did as director. Also, many thanks to all those who assisted in this effort. It was a great success.

We want to express our thanks to the pastors who have supported our work during the past years. If the pastor is not interested in mission work, it is very difficult to enlist the members. We ask your prayers as we enter a new year of service for our Lord.

Respectfully submitted,
Virginia Jarvis, WMU Director

HOME MISSION REPORT

The rising cost of living and a slowdown in giving affected the mission force, which numbers close to the same figure as one year ago. However, more than 400 missionaries were appointed in all categories. Of those under appointment, approximately 900 are career missionaries, 712 associate missionaries, 64 US-2, 73 state convention staff members supported in part, and 480 pastors who receive church pastoral aid. Two-thirds of all missionaries are jointly supported by state conventions, and only one-third are entirely supported by the Home Mission Board. This mission force serves in all fifty states, Puerto Rico and Panama.

INFLATION HAMPERS WORK

Income for the Home Mission Board, primarily through the Cooperative Program and the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering, continues to exceed \$15 million, but the increase each year amounts to less than three percent while operating costs have increased by six percent annually. Slight increases in salaries and fringe benefits have eaten away at continued expansion of home mission work.

Cecil Etheredge, missionary personnel secretary, said reduced funds have slowed the appointment of many qualified people. "The hardest 'no' we have to say is to the mission interns who have prepared themselves for years for this type of service," he said. Another example--Etheredge said that 105 applied for appointment to the US-2 ministry this year. Sixty-nine of these were approved but the mission departments came up with funds to use only 28. The same type of financial pinch is being felt in all mission work, forcing mission leaders into greater use of laity, low-cost facilities, combined church fields, and other ways to stretch the mission dollar.

"Much of this might be a blessing in disguise," said Arthur B. Rutledge, executive secretary of the Home Mission Board. He indicated that the SBC Executive Committee asked the Convention for a 9.8 percent increase for the HMB for 1973, and he thought churches were responding well to the appeals for increased giving through the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering promoted by Woman's Missionary Union.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Lloyd Pardue

FOREIGN MISSIONS REPORT

Reading statistics is like looking into a mirror - both strengths and weaknesses are visible! Southern Baptists are grateful to God for what was accomplished in 1971. At the same time let us pray more earnestly that greater blessings may be apparent in this year of foreign missions outreach. Remember that figures do not tell all that God is doing in and through the lives of his servants around the world but they do help as indicators of progress made in Christian witness.

Foreign missionaries appointed in 1971 - 226

Missionaries under appointment December 31, 1971 - 2,526

Career missionaries (married, 2004; single, 223) - 2,227

Missionary associates - 169

Missionary journeymen - 125

Special project - 5

Missionaries appointed since Foreign Mission Board's org. in 1845 - 4,806

Emeritus missionaries - 182

Number of countries to which missionaries were under appointment - 75

Records from the field for 1971:

Churches (6,045) mission points (5,965) - 12,010

Baptisms - 55,905

Membership - 720,872

Enrollment in all (661) schools - 87,108

Patients treated - 997,645

Foreign Missions stewardship of Southern Baptist in 1971:

Total given by Southern Baptists in 1971 for all causes - \$925,044,620

Per capita gift of 11,826,463 Southern Baptists - \$79.06

Total given by Southern Baptist for work in the churches - \$774,498,370

Per capita gift of 11,826,463 Southern Baptists for work

in the churches - \$65.49

Percentage of total given used in the local churches - 82.8%

Total given in 1971 to all missions - \$160,546,250

Per capita gift of 11,826,463 Southern Baptists to missions - \$13.58

Southern Baptists gifts to all missions - 17.2%

Total gifts of all Southern Baptists for foreign missions - \$33,719,447

Per capita gift of 11,826,463 Southern Baptists to foreign missions - \$2.85

Percentage of total gifts of Southern Baptists to foreign missions - 3.61%

(All statistics effective as of Dec. 31, 1971)

Respectfully submitted,
Allen Laymon

MUSIC COMMITTEE REPORT

The Music Committee has assisted with music for various meetings throughout the year. A choir composed of members from many churches in the association sang hymns of the past as the special Centennial Service held at First Baptist Church, North Wilkesboro, on October 6, 1971. Mr. Jay Anderson, organist for the Wilkesboro Church, played the church's old reed organ for the service. Mr. E.E. Sloan, Minister of Music at First Baptist, directed the choir.

Respectfully submitted,
E.E. Sloan, Chairman
Associational Music Committee

POAU REPORT

If we go back and take a good look at the framers of the constitution, we feel there were certain basic ideas which separated the social concepts necessary for each individual to go about exercising his own rights within the area of freedom of enterprise, politics, and religion. It appears that we as a society may be losing some of the original enthusiasm for the division of church and state originally instituted by the framers of the constitution. It should appear to many of us that we take these divisions very seriously and not allow ourselves to become indifferent to the original ideas of our founding fathers as they projected themselves toward a tranquil society. We should honor, cherish, and continue to work seriously to preserve the complete separation of church and state (government). By virtue of the fact that the government is now nibbling upon grounds never before attempted, lends itself to much serious thought as to whether or not we as leaders in the area of concerned religion should not be very watchful of the possible effect of splinter and ethnic groups who have a profound impact upon the Baptist Church and possibly other religious groups. There are many ways to go forward but only one way to stand still. Baptist should feel an obligation or duty to retain separation of church and government to the point of speaking out when occasions arise before government gobbles up the church.

Respectfully submitted,
Gwyn F. Vannoy

STATE MISSIONS

'We are on a mission under the Lordship of Christ' - Matthew 28:19-20; Acts 1:8. State Missions is such a mission that all North Carolina Baptist support cooperatively. State Missions is Christian Social Service expressed through institutions. State Missions is churches expressing a positive interest in Christian Education. These ministries, too big for any one church, includes work at Cherokee and Pembroke, promotion and co-ordination of World Mission Conferences, support of part-time Chaplaincies in several correctional institutions, assistance in witnessing to and enlisting for service, Orientals and Spanish speaking peoples, A specialized ministry to the deaf includes evangelizing, teaching and counselling the deaf.

Also included is a cooperative plan for Seminary extension and a rapidly growing Resort Ministry. Fruitland Baptist Institute is an area of State Missions. Our cities need Baptist Centers and other expressions for Christian social and evangelistic concern. State Missions promotes and supports a vigorous ministry in the inner city. State Missions continues a specialized ministry with other races. State Missions serves the pastor and local church. New churches are encouraged by loans and grants of lot aid. Needy churches are given financial aid until they can become self supporting. Pastors are directly helped through Annuity supplements.

We of the Brushy Mountain Association willingly receive a share from the State Mission Board to help in our local mission work. Let us be as willing to give to State Missions Offering in order to share in our state's mission work.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Rex Whittington

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

January 5-7, The Brushy Mountain Baptist Association sent nine workers to Wingate College to study the 1972 V.B.S. material and teaching methods. They in turn showed the material to pastors and V.B.S. Directors at a workshop conducted at Mount Pleasant Baptist Church with 26 churches represented by 76 people. On April 30 the annual V.B.S. Clinic was held at Wilkesboro Baptist Church with 26 churches represented by 118 people.

As of this report, 7 churches have not sent in their Vacation Bible School reports. (See "Digest of Church Letters" for VBS enrolment of each church)

Respectfully submitted,
Glenn Byrd, VBS Director

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

As outgoing Associational Sunday School Director I offer this report to the association, although by the time it is presented I will be serving in another church and another association.

The officers of the Associational Sunday School Organization for the past year have been: Henry Morgan, Director; Glenn Byrd, VBS Director; Mrs. I.V. Couch, Adult Director; Mrs. Roscoe McNeil, Youth Director; Mrs. James Cook, Children's Director; Mrs. Perry Wheless, Pre-school Director.

Several workers from our association attended the State VBS Clinic at Wingate College in January of this year. These later provided leadership for the Associational Clinic April 30. The clinic was well attended.

A full slate of workers also attended the Regional Sunday School ReaLife Conference at College Avenue Church in Lenoir, February 22, and then in turn taught their respective conferences in an Associational ReaLife Conference on March 12 and 13 at Wilkesboro Baptist Church.

Plans were in the making for a church by church ReaLife Conference in our association in September. However, due to the Wilkes Area Crusade and other factors this did not materialize.

The theme in Sunday School work for 1972-73 will be "Share The Word". I trust that this association and its new director and other officers will press forward in Bible study efforts. My prayers will continue to be with you.

Respectfully submitted,
Henry Morgan, Director

GENERAL BOARD REPORT

It has been my privilege to serve for this year on the General Board as the member from the Brushy Mountain Association. I served on the Missions Committee of the Board and on the Fruitland Committee also.

The Board met in January, June, and will meet again in October at Camp CaRAway. Many things of interest have been planned and carried out by the General Board. One of the most significant was the approval at the June meeting of the "Together We Advance" effort. This is an effort to enlist the churches to set goals and seek to reach them in four areas for a period of three years. These areas are: (1) Baptisms (2) Sunday School Enrolment (3) Cooperative Program support (4) Associational Missions support. The suggested goal is for each church to strive for a 10%

annual increase in these four areas for three years. I commend heartily to each church of this association the adoption of these four goals.

Since I will be leaving the Brushy Mountain Association before the annual meeting, someone else will be concluding the term I started on the General Board and a new person will be elected by the Convention in November to serve from the Brushy Mountain Association next year.

I commend to each of you your active support of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and its programs, institutions and agencies. It has been my pleasure to serve you and the State Convention in a number of ways. I shall continue to remember you in all the days ahead.

Respectfully submitted,
Henry Morgan

SOCIAL SERVICE AND CIVIC RIGHTEOUSNESS REPORT

The Christian Life Commission's stewardship of emphasis on applied Christianity included some particularly significant developments during the past year:

Maintained an adequate base for the Commission's various ministries in the general area of Christian social concerns.

Maintained close cooperation with other agencies of the Convention and with other Baptist bodies in fostering practical expressions of the Christian faith.

Provided reliable and current resource materials on drugs, pornography, gambling, sex education, ecology and related topics.

Made substantial progress in channeling Christian social concerns into Baptist life in Latin America.

Speaking engagements touching all segments of Southern Baptist life were filled.

The writing and channeling of appropriate materials on applied Christianity continued, and special resource papers on drugs, pollution, and the urban crisis were inserted in HOME MISSIONS magazine.

Literature sales for 71 titles amounted to \$22,372.92, a gain of 6.08% over 1970.

Special activities were engaged in such as the preparation for pastors of a cassette tape on "Pornography - A Christian Perspective," production of an NBC "Analogue" national radio program, participation in the White House Conference on Aging, sponsorship of a research project on Southern Baptists and the Bill of Rights, and work to combat legalized gambling.

Dr. William M. Pinson's book on "A Program of Application for a Local Church: Suggestions for Christian Social Action" was printed in first draft.

The Christian Life Commission is especially glad to work with Baptist associations and churches in activating Christian Life Committees to maintain a continuing emphasis on Christian social concerns.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Clate Bumgarner, Chairman

A BRIEF HISTORY OF BOILING SPRINGS CHURCH

Whereas the history of this church was written in 1961 and recorded in the minutes of this association on pages 25, 26 and 27 of that year, nothing further will be said with reference to that period.

At the March meeting, 1962, T. T. Yates and Clate Staley were appointed as a

committee to have tile put on the basement floor and to paint the walls of the basement. July 1962, the church held a revival meeting with 13 joining. A motion was made and carried at the September meeting, 1962, that the pastor be paid \$100 per month. June, 1963, the church met with Davis Memorial for the ordination of Argel Huffman as a deacon. He was turned over to the Presbytery and was ordained then turned over to the church an ordained deacon. At the February meeting, 1964, the church voted to raise the pastors salary to \$1500 a year.

At the February meeting, 1966, Rev. W.H. Carroll tendered his resignation to take effect the 3rd Sunday in April, but at the March meeting the church voted to retain him as pastor. August 1966, the church met in conference and granted Tommy Eller license to preach the gospel.

At the September meeting, 1967, the church voted to raise the pastors salary to \$1800 per year, and at the same meeting a committee was appointed to paint the church on the outside. In August 1968, Rev. Rex Shumate was called as pastor for one year. He accepted and preached his first sermon August 15. In August 1969, he was called again to serve as pastor and his salary increased to \$2400 a year. At the November meeting, 1969, there was \$400 pledged to the church for purchasing an organ from the Bible Book Store and the church agreed to pay the remainder.

In August 1971, the pulpit committee recommended Rev. R.A. Call to the church for pastor. He accepted the call and preached his first sermon September 5, 1971 and is presently serving the church as pastor. Mr. Turner Huffman is still serving as church clerk.

Respectfully submitted,
J.F. Jordan, Historian

A BRIEF HISTORY OF NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH

Whereas the history of this church was written in 1964 and recorded in the minutes of this association on pages 44 to 50 of that year, nothing further will be said with reference to that period.

In March 1965, the church voted unanimously to have lights installed over the choir and pulpit. Duncan electric company was employed to do the work. At the May meeting, 1965, the church voted to have the walls, floor and ceiling painted. In August 1965, it voted that the pastor be elected an indefinite period of time and a ninety days notice be given by the pastor or the church before a change be made. The John Eller family gave a quick claim deed to the church for the parking lot. The church voted to have a mixed surface put on the parking lot for three thousand dollars. The Training Union donated seven trees for the grounds.

April 3, 1966, Rev. Glenn Huffman resigned as pastor. At the May meeting, 1966, Rev. Frank Walker was elected to serve as pastor. December 1966, a committee was appointed to purchase an organ. Mary Jane Triplett and Winnie Marie Church were added to the choir committee to work with them in purchasing the organ.

The church purchased one fourth of an acre of land for \$50.00 located behind the church next to the cemetery. At the July meeting, 1967, Rex Yates and Wayne Vannoy were voted on for deacons which carried favorably. Also at this meeting, a committee was appointed to see about the cost and installation of air conditioning for the church. At the August meeting, Wayne Vannoy reported it would cost \$1655.00 to do the wiring for air conditioning. At this meeting Brent Eller was elected clerk and is still serving in that capacity. At the September meeting, Clinton Eller explained to the church that Rev. Walker would serve the church in the future in any of the following three ways: 1. He would serve as he is serving with the same salary.

2. He would preach four Sundays with no Sunday night service with a salary of \$3600.
 3. He would be full time pastor with a salary of \$6000, annually. A motion was made and carried to accept the second proposal. Also at this meeting the church recommended \$45,000 insurance on the building, \$7000 on the contents and \$50,000 liability insurance.

November 1968, Rev. Walker tendered his resignation. A pulpit committee was appointed and contacted Rev. Vaughn Brown. Motion was made, seconded and carried that Rev. Vaughn Brown be accepted as pastor.

At the May meeting, 1969, Rex Yates reported on the remodeling of the church. He stated that the plans were being drawn up in Asheville. In September, Wayne Vannoy gave a report for the building committee. The estimate for complete remodeling would cost \$29,870 and the church voted 54 for the building plans and 14 against. Motion was made that the church accept the recommendations of the building committee which carried favorably. The work was done by Duncan and Finley Construction Company.

At the October meeting, 1970, Wayne Vannoy reported that the remodeling was completed and had cost \$7,746.55 Clarence Benton reported for the carpet committee that the price for carpeting the aisles of the sanctuary and the choir loft would be \$1540 and \$360 for the nursery and beginners classroom. A motion to accept this price carried favorably.

This church is now acting on the budget system and has paid off all debts and has money in the treasury. The church sponsors an active Bible School each June. They have an active Sunday School, Training Union, G.A.'s and Wednesday night prayer group. Rev. Vaughn Brown resigned as pastor in July 1972 to become effective August 1, 1972. A Pulpit Committee has been appointed by the church but as of this writing a pastor has not been secured.

Respectfully submitted,
 J.F. Jordan, Historian

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

In the 1930's the association was seen by the Southern Baptist Convention and its agencies as a promotional unit. Almost every board, agency and institution requested promotion at annual meetings as well as all through the year. Even though these promotional ideas were good for the churches, the programs were "second hand" and therefore lost some of their freshness that offers challenge.

The seventies and the thirty years to follow, the association's place in the community and in the churches will be one of growing importance - provided it can be flexible enough to meet the needs that a constantly changing society will bring.

Believing that cooperation of churches through the association was important for the development of the churches and the spread of the gospel to the ends of the earth, several years ago our association began correlating its work through a Superintendent of Missions. For the past two years this work has been under the direction of Rev. I.V. Couch assisted by Mrs. Albert Holman, office secretary.

It would be unreal to expect all the activities of the Superintendent of Missions to be written in this brief report. However, the list below will indicate the nature of his work for the past year.

Messages	60	Blood Program	10
Revivals in association	2	Worship Services attended	32
Revivals out of association	2	Revivals attended	21
Funerals	2	Ministers Conferences	8

Mission Studies	6	Missions Comm. Meetings attd.	4
January Bible Studies	5	Executive Promotion Comm.	4
Bible Classes	27	Sunday Schools attended	17
Associational meetings	18	Meetings outside assoc.	23
Personal Conferences	54	VBS Clinics	2
Committee Meetings	36	Hospital visits	28
Radio Broadcasts	65	G. A. and R. A. Camp	1
Resort Ministry (W. Kerr Scott Reservoir)	20	Miles traveled	13,629
		Brushy Mtn. Herald sent out	5,520

Our Superintendent of Missions has been involved in the following areas of work beyond his job guidelines:

1. In June he was elected chairman of the Wilkes County Red Cross Blood Program. In this work he promoted the Bloodmobile visits to our county.

2. Last September he began what is called "The Brushy Mountain Baptist Association News Broadcast" over WKBC, North Wilkesboro at 9:15 a.m. each Saturday. This program has been well received throughout the county.

3. For the second year Brother Couch has directed the Resort Ministry at W. Kerr Scott Reservoir. This year he had two services each Sunday morning - one at 8:45 and another at 9:45. He also went to the camping areas each Saturday evening between 6:30 and 8:00 p.m. giving out hand bills to all the campers.

Therefore, in view of the work and accomplishments, the Missions Committee thanks God for a man like Mr. Couch, a man who goes beyond the call of duty.

Respectfully submitted,
Ralph Stanley, Chm. Missions Committee

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

In an effort to be better informed as Associational Brotherhood Director, the Brotherhood Workshop in Morganton in the spring and the State Briefing at Durham in the summer were attended. Attending these sessions offered new insight into the plans being made for an expanded Brotherhood Program within the association next year.

One important activity in which your Brotherhood Director was involved this past summer was working with our Superintendent of Missions, I.V. Couch, in the W. Kerr Scott Reservoir Ministry on Saturday afternoons at the two camping areas, Warrior Creek and Bandits Roost distributing hand bills and inviting the campers to the Sunday morning worship services held weekly in these areas.

The objectives of an Associational Brotherhood are seen in five main areas of work:

- A. Providing fellowship and inspiration for Baptist men.
- B. Interpreting Brotherhood work to the churches in the association.
- C. Training Church Brotherhood Leaders.
- D. Consulting with church leaders in ways the Associational Brotherhood can be of help to the local church.
- E. Cooperating in performing mission work within the association and the churches.

A full slate of officers, for the first time in many years, will be ready to begin the task of carrying out the objectives of the Associational Brotherhood work.

The Associational R.A. Director, Rev. Robert Wainwright has been active during the past year in the following ways:

1. Was in charge of the associational R.A. Track Meet.
2. Served as director of the R.A. and G.A. Day Camp, doing a very fine work.
3. Assisted in planning the R.A. program for the Avery Association, making two trips to that association relative to R.A. work.

Respectfully submitted,
Ray Shomaker, Brotherhood Director

HOMES FOR THE AGING REPORT

In our Baptist Homes for the Aging, we feel that there is no relationship more important and more blessed than the one we have with our Baptist people in our Baptist Associations throughout the state.

This has been the best year we have ever had in our twenty-one years. The special offering for the Homes and support through the Cooperative Program reflects an encouraging increase. Through these two vital sources, the Homes during the past year derived almost 30% of the total operating budget in care of the residents and patients, with 20% coming from the offering, and 10% through the Cooperative Program. The most significant fact about this support from our Baptist people is that the majority of the residents in the Homes are persons with real financial needs, and these love gifts are used for their care. In fact, these gifts are a lifeline to the residents and they could not be maintained without them. The greatest challenge to our Baptist people is to continue to increase the Special Offering from year to year, and thus keep pace with the needs of the residents who depend so greatly on it.

In these five resident Homes we have a capacity for 162 residents. In these Homes we specialize in tender loving care and do not know of any place this side of Heaven, and outside of one's home, where a person can receive more compassionate Christian care.

Ministry to an older person is a direct ministry to Christ and is one of the finest things that North Carolina Baptists are doing. Be glad that you are a Baptist and be grateful for the part you are having in making the life of an aging person more abundant and more secure.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Gwyn Blackburn

COOPERATIVE PROGRAM REPORT

The Cooperative Program is a part of the tithes and your offerings given through your church. Thus, your dedicated life with a part of your day-to-day labor goes toward witnessing to a lost world.

The Cooperative Program is sharing your love of God through 6,000 state, home and foreign missionaries. Last year they were instrumental in bringing more than 66,000 people to Christ who in turn followed Him into the waters of baptism.

The Cooperative Program is busy training capable leaders by helping students with scholarships in more than 800 Baptist schools with more than 100,000 pupils around the world.

The Cooperative Program is ministering to the needs of the sick through 21 Baptist hospitals and 105 clinics in many nations. You helped more than 1,000,000 patients last year who could not pay the cost of their care. The Cooperative Program aids in bringing shelter, food, clothing and other necessities of life to 8,000 home-

less children plus more than 2,000 elderly people through Children's Homes and Homes for the Aging throughout the world.

Last year 1,020 Baptist churches in North Carolina increased Cooperative Program giving by 10 percent or more over what they contributed the previous year. Did the church where you serve increase this much? Only thirty-one churches in the Brushy Mountain Association reported gifts through the Cooperative Program.

Will you do two things?

1. Will you lead the church where you serve to make a worthy increase in Cooperative Program giving?
2. Will you pray for your missionaries and other Cooperative Program causes each day?

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Clyde Church

PROPOSED BUDGET 1972-1973

ANTICIPATED INCOME

From Churches	\$13,339.00
Annual Fund	760.00
State Missions	1,500.00
Other Contributions	500.00
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TOTAL ANTICIPATED INCOME	\$16,099.00
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ANTICIPATED EXPENDITURES

Missionary's Salary	\$ 5,200.00
Missionary's Automobile Allowance	2,000.00
Missionary's Hospital Insurance	564.00
Missionary's Life Insurance	180.00
Debt Retirement	2,000.00
Office Supplies	800.00
Office Help	1,560.00
Office Utilities	425.00
Office Upkeep	100.00
Parsonage Utilities	900.00
Parsonage and Office Insurance	175.00
Parsonage Upkeep	200.00
Annals	575.00
Convention and Conferences	400.00
Missionary's Retirement	520.00
Associational Clerk	75.00
Associational Treasurer	75.00
Associational Treasurer - Expense and Postage	50.00
Sunday School	50.00
Church Training	50.00
Woman's Missionary Union	50.00
Brotherhood	50.00

Music	50.00
Miscellaneous	50.00

TOTAL ANTICIPATED EXPENDITURES	\$16,099.00
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Respectfully submitted,
Mr. J. R. Priester, Chairman
Mr. Wayne Vannoy
Mr. Earl Wolfe
Mr. Ivery Haynes
Rev. Vaughn Brown
Mr. Raymond Blevins

The Budget Committee recommends that each church give at least 3% of its total gifts to Associational Missions.

MINISTERS' CONFERENCE REPORT

The Brushy Mountain Ministers' Conference held regular meetings each month from September through May, usually on the first Monday of each month.

In September the following officers were elected to serve for the 71-72 year. The Rev. Mr. Flake Mason, President; The Rev. Mr. Joe Crouch, Vice-President; The Rev. Mr. Vaughn Brown, and The Rev. Mr. I.V. Couch, Program Committee; and Mr. E.E. Sloan, Secretary-Treasurer.

The meetings provide fellowship for the ministers and opportunities for sharing mutual concerns and plans for the association. A highlight of this year's meetings was the teaching of the Book of Job, by the Rev. Mr. Paul Shoupe, pastor of Liberty Grove Baptist Church.

Reverend and Mrs. I.V. Couch served a delightful Christmas dinner to the ministers and their wives at Christmastime, and also, a luncheon to the ministers following the regular May meeting.

Many of the ministers were actively involved in the Crusade for Christ held in North Wilkesboro, August 25 - September 3.

Respectfully submitted,
E.E. Sloan, Secretary-Treasurer

EXPENDITURES 1971-72

Office Help	\$ 1000.00
Centennial Expense	401.45
Office Utilities	440.82
Church Training Expense	13.31
Office Upkeep	66.26
Repairs - Parsonage	75.55
Insurance	162.00
Office Supplies	574.77
Assoc. Clerk	75.00
Assoc. Treasurer	75.00
Treasurer's Expense & Postage	50.00
Payment on note	900.00
Interest on note	447.95
Missionary Salary	4600.00

Missionary's Travel	1916.59
Missionary's Utilities	862.50
Missionary's Life Ins.	151.08
Missionary's Hospital Ins.	545.00
Missionary's Retirement	545.00
Refund on Annuals	426.74
Convention Expenses	49.35
Miscellaneous Expense	268.50
Annuals	75.00
Vacation Bible School	694.55
W. M. U.	49.80
Reservoir Ministry	43.09
	<u>227.08</u>
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$14,191.39
BALANCE IN BANK (9-25-72)	1,464.68

Balance due on Associational Office note, 9-25-72, \$5,450.00

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to the entire Brushy Mountain Baptist Association for the splendid cooperation you have given me during the years I have served as your Treasurer.

Sincerely,
Chalmer Dyer

TREASURER'S REPORT 1971-72

CHURCH	MISSION SUPPORT	ANNUAL FUND	OFFICE FUND	CENTENNIAL FUND	TOTAL RECEIPTS
BEAVER CREEK	400.67	40.00	0	0	440.67
BETHANY	382.06	13.00	0	10.00	405.06
BOILING SPRINGS	90.00	14.00	0	0	104.00
CALVARY	0	0	0	0	0
CRICKET	0	0	0	0	0
CUB CREEK	200.00	27.00	0	15.00	262.00
DAVIS MEMORIAL	0	6.00	0	0	6.00
EDGEWOOD	75.00	35.00	0	10.00	120.00
ELK	110.00	6.00	0	0	116.00
FISHING CREEK	300.00	48.60	0	0	348.60
FRIENDLY GROVE	0	6.00	0	0	6.00
GORDON	10.00	10.00	0	0	20.00
GOSHEN	50.00	30.00	0	20.00	100.00
HARMONY	286.08	12.00	0	0	298.08
HINSHAW STREET	600.00	27.00	0	15.00	642.00
LEWIS FORK	114.00	20.00	0	15.00	149.00
LIBERTY GROVE	357.50	30.00	0	25.00	412.50
LITTLE ROCK	180.00	20.00	144.00	20.00	364.00
MILLERS CREEK	920.77	60.00	0	20.00	1000.77
MORAVIAN FALLS	250.20	27.00	0	0	277.20
MOUNT CARMEL	25.00	24.30	0	10.00	59.30
MOUNT PLEASANT	264.00	38.00	0	25.00	327.00

MOUNT ZION	0	16.20	0	10.00	26.20
NEW HOPE	150.00	35.00	0	20.00	205.00
N. WILKESBORO 1st	2166.64	25.00	600.00	25.00	2816.64
N. WILKESBORO 2nd	60.00	4.40	0	10.00	74.40
OAK GROVE	0	6.00	0	0	6.00
OAKWOODS	330.00	25.00	0	0	355.00
PILGRIM	200.00	10.00	0	0	210.00
PLEASANT GROVE	0	30.00	0	0	30.00
PLEASANT HOME	110.00	50.00	0	0	160.00
PURLEAR	65.00	15.00	0	0	80.00
ROARING RIVER	84.00	20.00	0	5.00	109.00
ROCKY CREEK	0	0	0	0	0
SHADY GROVE	0	11.00	0	0	11.00
SHARON WALKER	0	30.00	0	0	30.00
STONY HILL	25.00	8.00	0	0	33.00
WALNUT GROVE	300.00	40.00	0	0	340.00
WELCOME HOME	110.00	35.00	200.00	25.00	370.00
WILKESBORO	2800.00	30.00	0	25.00	2855.00
ZION HILL	0	20.25	100.00	10.00	130.25
TOTAL	\$11,035.92	\$904.75	\$1044.00	\$315.00	\$13,299.67

MONEY ON HAND OR IN BANK 9/30/71	539.51
RECEIVED FROM CHURCHES	\$13,299.67
RECEIVED FROM STATE MISSIONS	1,440.00
OTHER RECEIPTS	376.89
GRAND TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$15,656.07

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

We, the Committee on Resolutions, for the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association, meeting in its One Hundred First Annual Session, wish to express our deep appreciation to New Hope, Wilkesboro and Boiling Springs Baptist Churches for their hospitality made evident through the bountiful meals and the lovely flowers for the three sessions.

We are grateful to the Program Committee for an excellent and informative program. We are appreciative for Rev. Ralph Stanley, Dr. Howard Ford and Rev. E.W. McMurray, who brought inspiring messages to the association. Also, we are appreciative for the visiting brethren who brought us greetings from our institutions and organizations.

To our Associational Missionary, The Rev. I.V. Couch, we extend our thanks for the fine work he has done. We are grateful for the excellent work of our Clerk, Mrs. Albert Holman; for untiring service of our Historian, Mr. J.F. Jordan, and the splendid leadership of our Moderators, the Rev. J.C. Shaw and Herman Grubër, who served during the year. To the other officers and department heads of our association, for the many services too numerous to mention, we express our sincere thanks.

We take this opportunity to extend our best wishes to our Moderator, the Rev. J.C. Shaw, and to the officers who will serve with him this year. We welcome the new ministers who have been called into our association and extend to them our best wishes and sincere cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,
 Mrs. Floyd M. Jennings, Chm.
 Mrs. Pressley Myers
 Mrs. W.L. Pitts

TIME, PLACE AND PREACHER REPORT

The Time, Place and Preacher Committee recommends that the One Hundred Second Annual Session of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association be held at Fishing Creek Baptist Church, night session, October 1, 1973, Speaker: Rev. I.V. Couch, and at Pleasant Home Baptist Church, day session, October 2, 1973, Speaker; Rev. Carl Walker, Alternate: Rev. Glenn Byrd.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. James Williams
Rev. Joe Crouch

CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE REPORT

The Constitution Committee recommends the following amendment to By-Law 1 of the Constitution of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association:

The Association shall meet on Monday night before the first Tuesday in October and for a full day session on the first Tuesday of October.

Respectfully submitted,
Dr. W.L. Pitts, Chm.
Mr. Tam Hutchinson
Rev. Paul Shoupe

ASSOCIATIONAL CALENDAR

1972-73

October

- 2 Ministers Conference, Association Office; 10:00 a.m.
- 3-4 Association Annual Meeting
- 4 Cooperative Program Prayer Emphasis in the Churches
- 6-7 Father-Son Camp (6,7 and 8 year olds) CaRAway
- 6-7 Statewide Pastors and Sunday School Directors Meeting, CaRAway
- 6-8 Baptist Young Women Convention, Raleigh, Forest Hills
- 8 Biblical Recorder Day
- 10-11 General Board Meeting
- 11 Cooperative Program Prayer Emphasis in the Churches
- 13-15 Deacons' Retreat, CaRAway
- 14 Regional RA Leadership Courses, Rutherfordton, First, Greensboro, First
- 16 Associational Church Training, Association Office
- 18 Statewide Church Building Conference, Lenoir
- Cooperative Program Prayer Emphasis in the Churches
- 22 American Bible Society Day
- 25 Cooperative Program Prayer Emphasis in the Churches
- 26 Children's Leadership Conference, Charlotte
- 26 Ministers Wives; 12 noon
- 27-28 Festival of Creative Arts and Church Training Creative Leadership Conference, Morganton, First
- 30 Associational Sunday School Planning Meeting, Assoc. Office

November

- 3-5 BSU Fall Convention, Ridgecrest
- 5-11 Royal Ambassador Week
 - 6 Baptist Women's Day of Prayer
 - 6 Ministers Conference, Association Office; 10:00 a.m.
 - 6 Missions Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro; 6:30 p.m.
 - 6 Associational Executive Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro; 7:30 p.m.
 - 7 General Election Day
- 13-15 Baptist State Convention, Winston-Salem
 - 16 Ministers Wives; 12 noon
 - 19 Thanksgiving Offering for Children's Homes
 - 20 "M" Night
- 22-26 International Student Conference, Ridgecrest
 - 23 Thanksgiving Day
- 26-28 Literacy Workshop

December

- 3-10 Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions and Lottie Moon Christmas Offering
 - 4 Ministers Conference, Association Office; 10:00 a.m.
 - 10 Foreign Missions Day in Sunday School
 - 20 Convention-wide Carol Sing in the Churches
 - 25 Christmas Day
 - 28 Ministers Wives; 12 noon
 - 31 Student-Night-At-Christmas

January (Make Your Will Month)

- 1-5 Bible Study Week, Galatians
- 3-5 State VBS Clinic, Wingate College
- 5-6 Trustee Orientation, Durham, Durham Motor Hotel
 - 8 Ministers Conference, Association Office; 10:00 a.m.
- 8-12 Chaplains (BSU) Seminar, In-The-Oaks, Black Mountain
 - 14 Soul Winning Commitment Day
 - 14 WMU Council Meeting
 - 15 Associational Church Training Meeting, Assoc. Office; 7:30 p.m.
- 15-16 State-wide "Share the Word" Conference, Greensboro
- 19-20 Home Mission Study Teacher Training, CaRAway
 - 25 Ministers Wives; 12 noon
- 26-28 High School Seniors' Retreat, CaRAway
 - 26 Baptist Men's Day
- 30-31 General Board Meeting, Baptist Building, Raleigh
 - 30 Council on Christian Higher Education

February

- 3 Regional Royal Ambassador Counselor Courses, Hickory, Winston Salem
- 4 Baptist World Alliance Sunday
- 5-7 State-wide Evangelism Conference, Charlotte, Ovens Aud.
 - 6 School of Christian Studies
 - 9 Baptist Women Study Workshop, Statesville, First
- 11-17 WMU Focus Week
 - 11 Race Relations Sunday
 - 12 Ministers Conference, Association Office; 10:00 a.m.
 - 12 Missions Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro; 6:30 p.m.
 - 12 Associational Executive Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro; 7:30 p.m.

- 13 School of Christian Studies
- 16-17 Layman's Witnessing Institute, Gardner-Webb College
- 18 Special Day and Offering for Homes for Aging
- 20 School of Christian Studies
- 22 Ministers Wives; 12 noon
- 23 Regional "Share the Word" Conference, High Point, Oakview
- 27 School of Christian Studies

March

- 2 Regional Choir Festival, Morganton First
- 3 Regional Choir Festival, Hickory, Penelope
- 2-3 Day Camp Directors' Workshop, Mundo Vista
- 4-11 Week of Prayer for Home Missions - Annie Armstrong Easter Offering
- 5 Ministers Conference, Association Office; 10:00 a.m.
- 6 School of Christian Studies
- 11 Home Missions Day in S.S. and Home Missions Offering
- 13 School of Christian Studies
- 11-18 Youth Week
- 13 Regional "Share the Word" Conference, Asheville First
- 13-14 WMU Annual Session, Raleigh, Memorial Auditorium
- 14 Regional "Share the Word" Conference, Wilkesboro
- 17 Associational Baptist Youth Night
- 19-23 Children's Church Training Leadership Tour
- 19 Christian Life Commission National Seminar, Charlotte
- 20 School of Christian Studies
- 20-22 Rural Church Consultation, Fruitland
- 22 Ministers Wives; 12 noon
- 23-24 State Baptist Men and Boys' Convention, Winston Salem
- 26 Associational Festival of Creative Arts
- 27 School of Christian Studies
- 30-31 Handbell Festival, Charlotte, St. John's

April

- 2 Ministers Conference, Association Office; 10:00 a.m.
- 2 Associational Sunday School Planning Meeting
- 3 School of Christian Studies
- 5 Associational Brotherhood Planning Meeting
- 7 State Children's Choir Festivals, Southeastern Seminary and Boiling Springs, Boiling Springs
- 9-10 Church Training Workshop, Raleigh
- 10 School of Christian Studies
- 12 WMU Annual Meeting, Wilkesboro
- 13-15 Spring BSU Conference, Caswell
- 15 Cooperative Program Day
- 16-20 Church Training Week
- 17 Church Building Conference, Raleigh
- 19-21 Church Training Leadership Institute, CaRA way
- 22 Easter - Life Commitment Sunday
- 26 Ministers Wives; 12 noon
- 28 Associational R.A. Track Meet

May

- 1-2 N.C. Baptist Church Music Conference, Ridgecrest

- 4-5 Day Camp Workshop, Sylva, First
- 4-5 Week-end RA Camp, CaRAway
- 4-6 Family Camping Week-end, CaRAway
- 6-13 Christian Home Week
 - 7 Ministers Conference; 10:00 a.m.
 - 7 Missions Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro; 6:30 p.m.
 - 7 Associational Executive Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro; 7:30 p.m.
- 11-12 Baptist Women Retreat, Mundo Vista
 - 12 R.A. and G.A. Camp, 3rd graders
 - 13 Mother's Day Offering and Baptist Hospital Day
- 18-19 Baptist Women Retreat, Mundo Vista
- 18-20 Teachers and Interpreters' Conference (deaf), CaRAway
 - 19 State RA Track Meet, Gardner-Webb College
 - 20 Baptist Radio and Television Sunday
- 21-22 Human Relations Conference, Lake Junaluska
 - 24 Ministers Wives; 12 noon
- 29-June 5 Baptist Summer Opportunities Orientation Week, Gardner-Webb

June

- 10 Religious Liberty Sunday
- 10-11 WMU Annual Meeting, Portland, Oregon
 - 11 Acteens Camps Begin, Mundo Vista
 - R.A. Camps Begin, CaRAway
 - Pastors Conference, Religious Education Conference, and Music Conference, Portland, Oregon
- 11-14 Southern Baptist Convention, Portland, Oregon
 - 17 Fathers Day - Baptist College Day and Scholarship Offering
- 19-20 General Board Meeting, Wake Forest University
- 22-23 Baptist Young Women Retreat, Mundo Vista

July

- 2-6 Week of Christian Study and Fellowship, Mars Hill College
 - 4 Independence Day
 - 8 Christian Literature Day
 - 9 GA Camps Begin, Mundo Vista
- 10 Associational Sunday School Planning Meeting, Baptist Building, Raleigh
- 23-27 Associational Superintendents of Missions Conference, Fruitland

August

- 6 Missions Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro; 6:30 p.m.
- 6 Executive Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro; 7:30 p.m.
- 8 Associational Sunday School Planning Meeting, Ridgecrest
- 11-18 RA Bus Tour and Fifth National Conference, St. Louis, Mo.
 - 12 Language Missions Day
- 14-16 National Royal Ambassador Congress, St. Louis
 - 17 Statewide Youth Evangelism Night, Greensboro Coliseum
- 19-25 Week of Prayer for Associational Mission
- 19-26 Music Expansion Week
- 24-25 Workshop for Associational WMU Officers, Fruitland
 - 26 On-To-College Day
- 27-28 Workshop for Associational WMU Officers, Mundo Vista

September

- 3 Labor Day
- 6 Children's Homes' Area Conference, Waynesville
- 7-8 Workshop for Associational WMU Officers, Mundo Vista
- 10 Ministers Conference, Assoc. Office; 10:00 a.m.
- 10 Mission Advance Colloquy (Region 3) Fayetteville, First
- 13 Children's Homes' Area Conference, Mills Home
- 14-15 Festival of Creative Arts and Church Training Creative Leadership Conference, Waynesville, First
- 14-15 Young Marrieds Retreat, Mundo Vista
- 14-16 State BSU Officers' Workshop, CaRAway
- 16 State Missions Day and Offering
- 17 Associational Church Training Meeting, Assoc. Office
- 17-21 Church Launching Week
- 21-23 Baptist Men's Retreat, CaRAway
- 21-22 Mother-Daughter Camp, Mundo Vista
- 21-22 Festival of Creative Arts and Church Training Creative Leadership Conference, Statesville, First
- 21-22 All-state Youth Choir Festival-Workshop, Winston-Salem
- 22 Acteens Day, Raleigh, Meredith College
- 24-28 Area Bible Conferences (Piedmont Area)
- 24-27 Missionary Education Dialogue
- 27 Ministers Wives; 12 noon

CAMPS AND ASSEMBLIES

FRUITLAND BAPTIST CONFERENCE CENTER

P.O. Box 2468
Hendersonville, N.C. 28739
Gary Harthcock, Director
Telephone (704) 692-3588

June

- 18-22 Open
- 25-29 Open

August

- 6-10 GA Camp
- 13-17 Open

July

- 2-6 Open
- 9-13 Children's Choir Camp (ages 9-11)
- 16-20 Children's Choir Camp
- 23-27 Preaching and Bible Study
Associational Superintendents of Missions
- 30-Aug. 3 GA Camp

RIDGECREST

Kenneth McAnear, Manager
Ridgecrest, N.C. 28770
Telephone (704) 660-8022

June

- 7-13 Church Recreation Conference
- 14-20 Bible Conference
Youth Bible Conference

Church Administration
 Church and Denominational Statistics & History Conf.
 Church Library Conference
 21-27 Foreign Missions Conference
 28-30 Youth Choir Festival

July

1-7 Music Leadership Conference
 Youth Music Workshop
 8-14 Church Training Youth Conference
 15-21 Church Training Leadership Conference
 Vocational Guidance Lab
 Youth Leadership Conference
 Mentally Retarded Workshop
 Sex Education Workshop
 22-28 Joint Sunday School and Church Training
 Leadership Conference
 Mentally Retarded Workshop
 29-Aug. 4 Sunday School Leadership Conference
 Mentally Retarded Workshop

August

5-8 Sunday School Leadership Conference
 Conference for Sunday School Workers with Deaf
 9-15 Woman's Missionary Union Conference
 15-21 Home Missions Conference
 21-27 Student Conference
 31-Sept. 3 Conference for Single Adults

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSEMBLY

Southport, N.C. 27461
 Fred J. Smith, Director
 Telephone (919) 278-5495

May

21-25 Senior Adult Week

June

11-15 Youth Ministries Week
 18-23 Children's Choir Camp (Ages 9-11)
 25-29 Church Training

July

2-6 Youth Bible Conf. (S.S.)
 9-13 World Missions Week
 16-20 Church Training
 23-28 Youth and Adult Music Week
 30-Aug. 3 Youth Conference

August

6-10 Youth Conference
 13-17 Vacation Week

CAMP MUNDO VISTA

P.O. Box 98
 Asheboro, N. C. 27203
 Telephone (919) 625-4828
 Opens June 11

CAMP CARAWAY

P.O. Box 36
 Asheboro, N.C. 27203
 B.W. Jackson, Director
 Telephone (919) 629-2374
 Opens June 11

Wilkes County, North Carolina

DATE	WHERE HELD	MODERATOR	CLERK	PREACHER	No of Churches	Baptisms	Church Memb.
1872	Sulphur Springs (Alex)	R. L. Steel	G. O. Sherrill	L. N. Haynes	27	45	2145
1873	New Hope	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	W. M. Wingate	28	75	2175
1874	Three Forks (Alex)	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	Isaac Oxford	28	96	1999
1875	Buffalo (Ashe)	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	James McNeill	29	201	2202
1876	Oak Forest	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	C. C. Pool	29	125	2525
1877	Union (Caldwell)	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	W. A. Pool	30	90	2558
1878	Lewis Fork	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	Wm. Pool	30	191	2722
1879	Antioch (Alex)	Isaac Oxford	James B. Pool	George W. Green	31	85	2665
1880	Bethel (Ashe)	R. A. Spainhour	James B. Pool	James B. Pool	34	195	2847
1881	Cub Creek	R. A. Spainhour	James B. Pool	Milton McNeill	36	188	2921
1882	Macedonia (Alex)	R. A. Spainhour	James B. Pool	W. J. Fulford	34	166	2930
1883	Kings Creek (Caldwell)	R. A. Spainhour	W. E. White	W. A. Pool	35	204	3158
1884	Three Forks (Alex)	R. A. Spainhour	W. E. White	L. W. Thomas	36	146	3219
1885	Zion Hill	R. A. Spainhour	W. E. White	William Royal	36	207	3316
1886	Sulphur Springs (Alex)	R. A. Spainhour	W. E. White	W. A. Pool	31	125	2943
1887	Wilkesboro	R. A. Spainhour	W. E. White	C. E. Taylor	27	253	2701
1888	Walnut Grove	R. A. Spainhour	W. P. Laws	W. R. Gwaltney	14	43	1114
1889	Mt Pleasant	I. T. Prevett	J. L. Hemphill	W. R. Gwaltney	17	133	1315
1890	Little Rock	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McGinnis	W. L. Wright	17	1225	17
1891	Mt. Carmel	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McGinnis	W. W. White	18	61	1303
1892	Moravian Falls	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McGinnis	I. T. Prevett	18	28	1283
1893	Pleasant Home	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McGinnis	A. T. Pardue	19	52	1375
1894	New Hope	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McGinnis	W. R. Bradshaw	20	74	1475
1895	Wilkesboro 1st	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McGinnis	A. T. Pardue	20	73	1425
1896	Mt. Zion	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McGinnis	J. C. Blalock	19	77	1480
1897	Edgewood	J. L. Hemphill	Vance McGinnis	W. R. Bradshaw	19	89	1575
1898	Beaver Creek	J. L. Hemphill	Vance McGinnis	A. T. Pardue	18	54	1511
1899	Lewis Fork	W. M. Absher	Vance McGinnis	J. I. Beach	19	37	1574
1900	Zion Hill	W. M. Absher	Vance McGinnis	W. R. Gwaltney	19	91	1608
1901	Cub Creek	J. L. Hemphill	Vance McGinnis	A. T. Pardue	20	110	1634
1902	Wilkesboro	J. L. Hemphill	Vance McGinnis	S. F. Conrad	20	167	1788
1903	Shady Grove	J. L. Hemphill	Vance McGinnis	W. R. Bradshaw	21	91	1850
1904	Stony Hill	J. L. Hemphill	Vance McGinnis	W. H. Eller	21	74	1878
1905	Walnut Grove	C. C. Wright	John Grouch	W. F. Staley	21	185	1999
1906	Harmony	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	W. F. Staley	21	131	2080
1907	N. Wilkesboro 1st	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	J. S. Farmer	22	208	2196
1908	New Hope	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	W. F. Staley	22	91	2146
1909	Little Rock	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	J. W. Thomas	23	120	2273
1910	Wilkesboro	C. C. Wright	D. R. Edwards	C. M. Rock	23	115	2372
1911	Mt. Pleasant	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	L. B. Murray	23	206	2449
1912	Mt. Carmel	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	R. P. Blevins	23	156	2569

1913	Pleasant Home	C. C. Wright	R. P. Blevins	23	200	2751
1914	Lewis Fork	C. C. Wright	S. S. Jennings	24	166	2888
1915	Mt. Zion	C. C. Wright	D. M. Wheeler	24	103	2880
1916	Moravian Falls	C. C. Wright	C. H. Utley	24	107	2999
1917	Edgewood	C. C. Wright	W. C. Meadows	24	213	3118
1918	Beaver Creek	C. C. Wright	S. S. Jennings	25	235	3251
1919	Zion Hills	C. C. Wright	S. S. Jennings	26	134	3266
1920	Rhonda	C. C. Wright	W. F. Staley	27	116	3267
1921	N. Wilkesboro 1st.	C. C. Wright	G. W. Sebastian	27	222	3450
1922	Pleasant Grove	C. C. Wright	W. L. Griggs	27	315	3715
1923	Oakwoods	C. C. Wright	G. W. Sebastian	27	210	3859
1924	Harmony	C. C. Wright	W. L. Griggs	26	169	3729
1925	Walnut Grove	C. C. Wright	J. L. Shinn	26	233	4087
1926	N. Wilkesboro 2nd	C. C. Wright	G. G. Reeves	26	168	4198
1927	C. Goshen	C. C. Wright	G. W. Sebastian	27	211	4816
1928	Mt. Pleasant	C. C. Wright	N. C. Teague	27	105	4115
1929	Stony Hill	C. C. Wright	W. M. Gilmore	27	79	4148
1930	Little Rock	C. C. Wright	W. R. Bradshaw	28	194	4329
1931	Fishing Creek	C. C. Wright	A. E. Watts	29	223	4680
1932	Pilgrim	J. L. Hemphill	Avery M. Church	29	190	4660
1933	Mt. Zion	J. L. Hemphill	A. J. Foster	28	230	4759
1934	Moravian Falls	J. L. Hemphill	Eugene Olive	28	228	4899
1935	Lewis Fork	T. E. Story	Avery M. Church	28	108	4755
1936	Oakwoods	T. E. Story	N. T. Jarvis	28	181	4699
1937	Liberty Grove	T. E. Story	C. C. Holland	28	201	4831
1938	Mt. Pleasant	T. E. Story	Isaac Watts	30	5168	5168
1939	Beaver Creek	T. E. Story	Howard J. Ford	31	224	5394
1940	New Hope	T. E. Story	Ernest V. Bumgarner	32	184	5519
1941	Pleasant Home	T. E. Story	Finley C. Watts	32	212	5602
1942	Zion Hill	T. E. Story	Alfred J. Foster	33	238	5651
1943	Elk	T. E. Story	Howard J. Ford	33	310	5933
1944	Hinshaw Street	T. E. Story	C. J. Pool	33	121	5964
1945	Mt. Carmel	T. E. Story	S. Isaac Watts	33	342	6270
1946	Pleasant Grove	T. E. Story	David E. Browning	34	240	6509
1947	Boyling Springs	T. E. Story	W. N. Brookshire	33	191	6850
1948	Little Rock	T. E. Story	J. Glenn Huffman	33	162	6571
1949	Goshen	T. E. Story	C. J. Pool	33	284	6799
1950	Davis Memorial	T. E. Story	John T. Wayland	35	291	7073
1951	Walnut Grove	A. W. Eller	John Wells	35	250	7255
	N. Wilkesboro 1st		W. N. Brookshire			
	Harmony		Gilbert Osborne			
			H. I. Johnson			
			Clete Simmons			
			John T. Wayland			

1952	Purlear	A. W. Eller	Mrs. Tam S. Hutchinson	R. L. Franklin	35	221	7405
1953	Lewis Fork Wilkesboro	John V. Idol	Mrs. H. G. Duncan	Clate Brown Harvey White	36	240	7531
1954	Goshen			A. W. Eller			
1954	Pleasant Home	John V. Idol	Mrs. H. G. Duncan	J. Glenn Huffman	37	342	7833
1955	Mt. Zion	John V. Idol	Gwyn Vannoy	W. H. Caldwell	37	352	7965
1955	Welcome Home	John V. Idol		W. R. Wagoner	37		
1956	Cub Creek	John V. Idol	Thomas W. Earp	LeRoy Thomas	38	269	8186
1956	Fishing Creek	John V. Idol		A. B. Cooke, Jr.			
1956	Beaver Creek	John V. Idol		Hunter Church			
1957	Zion Hill	John V. Idol	Thomas W. Earp	J. C. McQueen, Jr.	39	334	8425
1957	N. Wilkesboro 1st	John V. Idol	W. W. Miles	Henry A. Morgan	39	339	8656
1958	Calvary			Clyde Church			
1958	Moravian Falls	John V. Idol		Frank Walker	39	290	8855
1959	Edgewood	John V. Idol	T. E. Story	Howard Laney			
1959	Mt. Pleasant			Heber F. Peacock			
1960	Walnut Grove	Clyde Church	T. E. Story	Vaughn Brown	39	404	9210
1960	Oakwoods			Warren Kerr			
1961	Boiling Springs	Clyde Church	T. E. Story	Dean Dillard	39	296	9325
1961	Little Rock			Richard Byrd			
1962	Hinshaw Street	Henry A. Morgan	T. E. Story	R. F. Smith, Jr.	39	369	9582
1962	Millers Creek			Rowe W. Teague			
1963	Liberty Grove	Henry A. Morgan	T. E. Story	Fred S. Miller	39	267	9748
1963	Plgrim			W. H. Caldwell			
1964	New Hope	J. Glenn Huffman	T. E. Story	Paul Shoupe	39	337	9952
1964	Wilkesboro			E. L. Copeland			
1965	Fishing Creek			C. A. Eden, Jr.	40	305	10, 186
1965	Mt. Pleasant	J. Glenn Huffman	R. C. Bailey	C. E. Lawing			
1965	Beaver Creek			R. Earl Adams	40	356	10, 532
1966	North Wilkesboro 2nd	R. C. Greene	R. C. Bailey	Frank Walker	40		
1966	Goshen			David Osborne			
1967	Pleasant Home	R. C. Greene	J. C. Shaw, Jr.	Harold T. Smith	40	399	10, 600
1967	Pleasant Grove			Clate Brown			
1968	North Wilkesboro First	Hunter Church	J. C. Sawh, Jr.	Albert Pruitt	40	241	10, 294
1968	Bethany			Allen Laymon			
1969	Roaring River	Hunter Church	J. C. Shaw, Jr.	G. C. Arney	41	268	10, 587
1969	Little Rock			Dean Simpson			
1970	Wilkesboro	E. W. McMurray	J. C. Shaw, Jr.	Gwyn Blackburn	41	251	10, 937
1970	Liberty Grove			W. L. Pitts			
1971	Hinshaw Street	E. W. McMurray	Mrs. Albert Holman	Harold Rumpfett	41	324	11, 113
1971	Gordon			Mace Johnson			
1972	New Hope	J. C. Shaw, Jr.	Mrs. Albert Holman	Ralph Stanley	41	354	11, 551
1972	Wilkesboro			Howard Ford			
1972	Boiling Springs			E. W. McMurray			

TABLE A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION 1972														
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN														
NORTH CAROLINA														
ASSOCIATIONAL CLERK MRS. ALBERT L. HOLMAN														
Address Rt. 1, Box 178 City Pullear State N. C. Zip 28665														
CHURCHES														
County	Year organized as a church	PASTORS & ADDRESSES												
		CHURCHES												
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	16	17	18	
Location	Key	Services held twice on Sunday?		Total Baptisms	Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	Present resident members	Present nonresident members	Grand total present members	No. members received from non-Baptist Churches	No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches	Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	Value of church property including pastor's home	Total church debt at end of this associational year
		Y	N											
Wilkes	1778			3		129	47	176				16000	50000	6944
Wilkes	1892	1	X		3	5	121	163	0	0	0		45000	0
Wilkes	1932	1	X		10	7	110	64	174	0	0		35000	0
Wilkes	1946	1	X		12	8	0	143	38	181	0		50000	0
Wilkes	1955	1	X		9	10	1	180	7	187	0		40000	1600
Wilkes	1862	1	X		13	8	289	48	337	1	1	16500	36500	0
Wilkes	1946	1	X		2	2	60	30	90	0	0		40000	0
Wilkes	1893	1	X		11	11	176	90	266	0	1		45000	0
Wilkes	1843	1	X		3	1	4	104	27	131	1		45000	0
Wilkes	1822	1	X		13	10	437	70	507	0	1		60000	0
Wilkes	1956	1	X		1	2	57	24	81	0	0		25000	0
Wilkes	1913	1	X		8	11	3	174	0	174	0		35000	0
Wilkes	1914	1	X		3	0	4	225	55	280	0	30000	120000	13479
Wilkes	1915	1	X		11	5	233	0	323	0	0		34000	0
Wilkes	1927	3	X		5	19	8	113	11	320	0	25000	25000	23068
Wilkes	1892	1	X		46	24	307	13	500	0	4		50000	0
Wilkes	1866	2	X		1	1	363	30	393	0	1	18200	110000	9900
Wilkes	1896	1	X		9	14	7	195	86	281	0	30000	146000	0
Wilkes	1959	2	X		8	12	6	308	32	340	2	20000	55000	23702
Wilkes	1886	2	X		8	2	4	182	52	234	1	35000	100000	4200
Wilkes	1880	1	X		4	5	191	0	191	1	0		20000	1485
Wilkes	1875	1	X		8	12	275	87	362	2	0	35000	195000	4000
Wilkes	1849	1	X		15	0	5	205	0	205	0		75000	5397
Wilkes	1830	1	X		6	59	12	309	29	338	0		65000	0
Wilkes	1892	4	X		28	42	868	253	1121	10	4	36500	900000	
Wilkes	1907	4	X		35	4	162	53	215	0	0		25000	
Wilkes	1945	4	X		16	14	7	90	48	138	0		12000	0
Wilkes	1917	2	X		5	10	24	248	79	327	0	16900	50000	16300
Wilkes	1859	1	X		9	4	5	339	60	219	0		52000	0
Wilkes	1884	1	X		8	10	4	238	83	324	1		52000	0
Wilkes	1860	1	X		4	9	1	123	71	194	0	22500	104000	0
Wilkes	1908	2	X		3	6	1	90	30	120	0		35000	0
Wilkes	1941	1	X		2	10	0	32	34	66	0	20000	50000	3720
Wilkes	1880	1	X		1	0	3	39	51	90	0		5300	0
Wilkes	1947	1	X		0	2	7	64	84	148	0		18650	0
Wilkes	1888	1	X		2	0	2	99	35	134	0		19990	1190
Wilkes	1845	1	X		33	8	287	123	410	0	0	13000	35000	1440
Wilkes	1936	2	X		2	7	13	301	74	375	0		81076	0
Wilkes	1880	1	X		10	19	23	476	105	581	0	37000	100000	0
Wilkes	1814	1	X		8	6	3	219	74	293	0	25000	310000	0
TOTALS				354	367	308	9159	2392	11551	21	19	401600	3623116	119715

TABLE B - THE SUNDAY SCHOOL																			
1972																			
Association																			
State																			
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN																			
NORTH CAROLINA																			
Associational Sunday School Director																			
REV. ROBERT WAINWRIGHT																			
Address																			
City State Zip																			
North Wilkesboro, North Carolina 28659																			
SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES																			
CHURCHES	Preschool enrollment (5 and under—not in school)	Children enrollment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Youth enrollment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Young Adult enrollment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 Years)	Adult enrollment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	Senior Adult enrollment (60 and over or retirement and over)	Adults Away enrollment	Homebound Units enrollment	General officers enrollment	Enrollment of mission(s)	Total ongoing Sunday School enrollment	School attendance	Number of Bible Study Fellowship classes	Bible Study Fellowship enrollment	Bible conference projects enrollment	Weekday Bible study enrollment	Church V. B. S. enrollment	Mission V. B. S. enrollment	Total V. B. S. enrollment
Beaver Creek	19	16	14	32	58			16	2		157	57					50		50
Bethany	18	19	15	16	40	10					118	78					39		39
Boiling Springs	15	20	15	35	38	9			12		144	93					52		52
Calvary	16	19	30	28	35	19			20		167	140					105		105
Canaan	25	11	15	25	50						126	110					101		101
Cub Creek	25	20	23	30	56	8			2		194	132					111		111
Davis Memorial	6	10	14	10	12	3			5		60	40					44		44
Edgewood	25	31	27	17	36	24			160	99	160	99					59		59
Elk	30	28	15	12	22	4			111	50	111	50	1	20			57		57
Fishing Creek	15	40	60	35	76	25			3		254	151					77		77
Friendly Grove	3	12	15	16	20	2			3		71	52					40		40
Grassy Fork	12	15	30	29	38	16			16		116	69					10		10
Gordon	17	9	16	32	13	4			20		143	90					74		74
Harmony	14	16	38	10	149	20		3	9		259	177	1	103			95		95
Hinsshaw Street	27	18	69	74	111	23			4		326	203	1	30			118		118
Lewis Fork	26	32	34	22	92	34			4		188	110					86		86
Liberty Grove	23	22	22	23	34	30			5		159	104					69		69
Little Rock	23	37	52	47	12	83			10		242	139					117		117
Millers Creek	23	39	22	8	40	10		6	4	56	208	99					99	13	112
Moravian Falls	5	10	12	12	25	3			3		65	48					81		81
Mt. Carmel	22	28	34	17	42	27			3		173	126					81		81
Mt. Pleasant	5	10	9	6	15	10			8		65	75					47		47
Mt. Zion	8	15	12	34	76	28		15	2		190	136	1	20			47		47
New Hope	66	113	124	33	227	70		56	31	7	860	254					233	90	323
N. Wilkesboro 1st	9	19	30	21	27						106	64	1	27			85		85
N. Wilkesboro Sec.	11	25	19	20	29	6					110	91					69		69
Oak Grove	15	45	19	15	29	3			4		130	78					60		60
Parkwoods	15	45	19	15	29	3					140	82					86		86
Pleasant Grove	20	32	19	23	50	13			13		140	82					86		86
Pleasant Hill	20	32	19	23	50	13			13		140	82					86		86
Pleasant Home	10	52	49	56	73	22			2		230	151	10	125			145		145
Purlear	6	15	12	25	40	7		17	2		119	67	1	20			30		30
Roaring River	8	18	14	8	17	29		6	3		97	55					37		37
Rocky Creek	3	1	6	8	9	6		8			35	20					51		51
Shady Grove	6	9	8	8	20	7			4		48	45					77		77
Sharon Walker	6	9	8	8	25						48	45					36		36
Stony Hill	10	14	15	16	26	25			2		108	76	1	30			0		0
Walnut Grove	11	22	20	29	8	6			3		99	52					0		0
Welcome Home	22	30	16	21	42	43			2		176	110					97		97
Wilkesboro	48	81	71	40	106	38		45	3		434	235					161		161
Zion Hill	10	17	28	32	8			3			118	75					100		100
TOTALS	690	1066	1118	923	2007	587		105	47	149	7045	4205	47	375			2917	103	3020

TABLE C CHURCH TRAINING													1972	
Association														
State	BRUSHY MOUNTAIN													
Associational Training Union Director	NORTH CAROLINA													
Address	MRS. RENA SPICER													
	City	State	Zip											
Rt. 1	Millers Creek, North Carolina - 28651													
CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES													
Beaver Creek	1	6	4	6	12	0	2	0	31	12				
Edgewood	4	0	5	4	0	15	1	0	29	15				
Fishing Creek	0	9	19	0	30	0	2	0	60	30				
Goshen	0	8	10	10	20	3	6	0	57	35				
Liberty Grove	0	0	10	16	12	0	2	0	40	23				
Little Rock	2	8	8	6	20	0	3	0	47	24				
Millers Creek	5	7	7	6	7	0	3	0	35	17	4			
Moravian Falls	0	0	10	0	0	0	2	0	13	8				
New Hope	1	7	8	17	15	0	0	0	50	34				
N. Wilkesboro First	19	135	87	17	60	0	5	0	324	180	11			
N. Wilkesboro Second	0	1	9	17	11	0	4	0	36	22				
Oakwoods	4	3	0	0	18	0	2	0	27	11				
Pleasant Home	6	9	17	4	7	0	3	0	40	25				
Walnut Grove	5	7	18	17	0	13	4	0	64	28				
Wilkesboro	5	25	29	0	18	10	5	0	92	47	6			
TOTALS	46	225	241	121	230	41	47		945	511	21	15		

TABLE D CHURCH MUSIC									
1972									
Association									
State									
NORTH CAROLINA									
Associational Music Director									
ELLIHU E. SLOAN									
Address City State Zip									
325 Forest Hills Rd., Wilkesboro North Carolina 28697									
CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES								
Beaver Creek	Peeler Hayes, Rt. 1, Box 27, Ferguson 28624								
Bethany	Max Hendren, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28654								
Boiling Springs	Vaughn Eller, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro 28659								
Calhary	L. B. Cooper, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651								
Crocket	Charlie Cain, Sr., Rt. 3, Wilkesboro 28697								
Cub Creek	Travis Harris, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624								
Davis Memorial	C. A. Hayes, Box 405, N. Wilkesboro 28659								
Edgewood	Vernon Eller, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624								
Elk	Ray Vaughn Brown, Rt. 5, N. Wilkesboro 28659								
Fishing Creek	Mrs. Don Key, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651								
Friendly Grove	Bill Carson, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro 28659								
Gordon	Charles Smith, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606								
Goshen	John Smith, Rt. 1, N. Wilkesboro 28659								
Hinshaw Street	Mrs. Frank Jarvis, P.O. Box 892, N. Wilkesboro 28659								
Lewis Fork	James Triplett, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665								
Liberty Grove	Mrs. Tam Hutchinson, Rt. 5, N. Wilkesboro 28659								
Little Rock	Mrs. Rowan Motesinger, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606								
Millers Creek	Harold L. Bass, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697								
Moravian Falls									
Mt. Carmel	Mrs. Raymond Bare, Boomer 28606								
Mt. Pleasant	Harry Foster, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624								
Mt. Zion									
New Hope	J. T. Vannoy, Spring Park St., N. Wilkesboro 28659								
N. Wilkesboro First	Elthie E. Sloan, 325 Forest Hills Rd., Wilkesboro 28697								
N. Wilkesboro Second									
Oak Grove	Eugene Triplett, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651								
Oak Woods	Charles Shumaker, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697								
Pilgrims	Gordon Church, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697								
Pleasant Grove	Rex Reeves, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651								
Pleasant Home	W. A. Blackburn, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665								
Purlear	W. A. Blackburn, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665								
Roaring River	North Ward, Rt. 2, N. Wilkesboro 28659								
Rocky Creek									
Shady Grove	D. C. Owens, 1202 Willard St., N. Wilkesboro 28659								
Sharon Walker									
Stony Hill	Eugene Johnson, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665								
Walnut Grove	Mrs. Darrell Clanton, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28654								
Walcome Home	H. R. Kendall, Rt. 4, Box 190, N. Wilkesboro 28659								
Wilkesboro	Mrs. D. R. Goodnow, 409 Ninth St., N. Wilkesboro 28659								
Zion Hill	Charles Billings, Boomer 28606								
TOTALS									

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION											
Association											
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN											
NORTH CAROLINA											
Associational WMU Director											
Address	City	State	Zip	Number of Organizations					Enrollment		
CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES			Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to grades 7-12)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	WMU officers	Mission(s) of church	Total WMU enrollment
Beaver Creek	Mrs. Myrtle Horton, Rt. 1, Box 21, Ferguson 28624			0	1	0	0	0	3	0	21
Boiling Springs	Mrs. Jerry Eller, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624			0	0	0	0	0	6	0	13
Cub Creek	Mrs. Wilburn Anderson, P. O. Box 68, Moravian Falls 28654			1	1	0	0	1	12	1	64
Elk	Mrs. E. C. Eller, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624			0	0	1	7	0	6	0	13
Fishing Creek	Mrs. Clifton Waddell, Rt. 3, N. Wilkesboro 28659			0	0	0	0	0	4	0	8
Friendly Grove	Mrs. Thail Englebert, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651			0	0	1	1	0	12	0	13
Hinshaw Street	Mrs. W. L. Pitts, P. O. Box 791, N. Wilkesboro 28659			1	1	0	0	0	15	0	40
Liberty Grove	Mrs. Wayne Pardue, Rt. 1, N. Wilkesboro 28659			0	0	0	0	0	20	0	31
Little Rock	Mrs. Roy Livingston, Rt. 1, Albioner 28659			1	0	0	0	0	16	0	52
Maple Creek	Mrs. Roland Baker, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697			0	0	0	0	0	10	0	10
Moravian Falls	Mrs. Roland Baker, Moravian Falls 28654			0	1	1	0	0	16	0	41
Mt. Pleasant	Mrs. Edwin Church, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624			1	1	0	0	0	10	0	54
New Hope	Mrs. Charles Beshvars, Rt. 1, Box 66, Purlear 28665			1	1	0	0	0	10	0	15
N. Wilkesboro 1st	Mrs. J. F. Woodward, 434 Shady Lane, Wilkesboro 28697			1	3	1	1	0	30	0	143
Oakwoods	Mrs. Nora Laws, 1117 Treadon St., N. Wilkesboro 28659			0	0	0	0	0	11	0	10
Pleasant Home	Mrs. Rex Whittington, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651			0	0	0	0	0	7	0	10
Walnut Grove	Mrs. Henry Lowe, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls 28654			0	0	0	1	0	6	0	15
Welcome Home	Mrs. Mae Fox, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro 28659			1	1	2	1	3	15	2	63
Wilkesboro	Mrs. Robert Foster, 406 Highland St., Wilkesboro 28697			1	2	1	0	3	10	0	72
TOTALS				7	14	10	7	28	69	186	689

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD											
Association											
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN											
NORTH CAROLINA											
Associational Brotherhood Director											
Address	City	State	Zip	Number of Organizations					Enrollment		
CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES			Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Pioneers (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Men enrol- ment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	Baptist Men enrollment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	Baptist Senior Men (60 and over or retirement and over)	General officers enrollment	Enrollment of mission(s) of church	Total Brotherhood enrollment
Beaver Creek	Earl Wolfe, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624			0	7	2	7	0	2	0	18
Cub Creek	Hubert D. Wyatt, P.O. Box 309, Moravian Falls 28654			6	3	4	15	2	2	9	27
Liberty Grove	Hardin Shumate, Rt. 2, N. Wilkesboro 28658			6	4	4	20	2	2	47	47
N. Wilkesboro, First	Pete Caudill, Forest Hills, Wilkesboro 28697			28	7	5	20	4	4	45	45
Wilkesboro	Dr. Loren Buchanan, 400 S. Cherry St., Wilkesboro 28697			16	5	5	20	4	4	45	45
TOTALS				56	26	2	52	10	10	146	146

TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP													1972					
Association													Number of tithees					
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN																		
NORTH CAROLINA																		
MRS. ALBERT HOLMAN																		
Address	City	State	North Carolina	Zip														
Rt. 1, Box 178					Purlear													
CHURCHES					TREASURERS & ADDRESSES													
Beaver Creek	Mrs. Steve Blewins, Rt. 1, Box 42, Ferguson 28624				16			x	8	4	15658	0	15658	5400	2578	2400	3849	14227
Bethany	Donald Hendrix, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28654				12	x			5	5	8778		8778	3600	3600	14956	2578	6178
Boiling Springs	W. O. Huffman, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665				12	x			2	1	8944		8944	3590	3590	640	640	4220
Calvary	Don Carter, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697				40	x					18200		18200	6600	6600	750	750	7350
Crocket	Bill Winger, Box 402, N. Wilkesboro 28659				15	x					13191		13191	7100	7100	1000	4610	12991
Cub Creek	Mrs. Jessie Johnson, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28654				15	x			2	2	19080		19080	6700	6700	1000	4847	11547
Davis Memorial	Travis Harris, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624				5	x					5611		5611	1501	1501	1950	1390	6231
Edgewood	Clifford Moore, Rt. 3, N. Wilkesboro 28659				17	x					14694	660	14694	5630	5630	3426	3426	9056
Elk	Vernon M. Eller, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624				17	x					5969		5969	1720	1720	269	3457	5446
Fishing Creek	Mrs. Bill Settle, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro 28697				15	x			7	2	18044		18044	8132	8132	4441	12573	
Friending Grove	Mrs. Don S. Key, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651				7	x					2900		2900	930	930	1210	525	2664
Gordon	Ella Mae Church, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro 28659				12	x					21247		21247	6816	6816	1000	12193	20609
Goshen	Mrs. Mill Cardwell, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28659				12	x			3	3	9536	289	9536	3600	3600	600	2302	9920
Harmony	Mr. Kenneth Bumgarner, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro 28659				70	x			3	6	45812		45812	12420	12420	14956	13000	40376
Hinshaw Street	John Dyer, 612 G Street, N. Wilkesboro 28659				20	x					26209		26209	9420	9420		11997	21417
Leeds Fork	James R. Triplett, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665				26	x					24897		24897	5790	5790	4200	5597	14858
Liberty Grove	Bill Shepherd, Rt. 2, N. Wilkesboro 28659				25	x			10	2	26907		26907	6905	6905	4703	7341	18949
Little Rock	Mrs. Arvid Johnson, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606				15	x			11	3	24891		24891	5790	5790	5131	10008	24891
Millers Creek	Miss Betty Mikeal, Rt. 1, Box 226, Millers Creek 28651				55	x			4	4	23656	32	23656	23688	23688	3176	7341	18949
Moravian Falls	John Johnson, Faw St., Wilkesboro 28697				20	x		x	15	2	21310		21310	6262	6262	3176	7330	16768
Mt. Carmel	Mrs. Henry Clanton, Rt. 1, Box 338, Boomer 28606				7	x					5519	158	5519	1936	1936	1179	4571	
Mt. Pleasant	Edward Church, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624				13	x			2	1.5	20991		20991	5781	5781	5358	11440	22580
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Dwight Triplett, Millers Creek 28651				25	x			4.2	8480	8480		8480	1931	1931	250	2664	9522
New Hope	Harold Triplett, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665				20	x		x	17	1.6	15049		15049	50340	50340	43242	54169	147751
N. Wilkesboro First	U. W. Foster, Rt. 5, Box 181, N. Wilkesboro 28659				9	x			6		9577	722	9577	1920	1920	5623	4113	11656
N. Wilkesboro Second	Eddie L. Minton, Rt. 5, Box 126, N. Wilkesboro 28659				20	x					4598		4598	2422	2422	563	2247	5332
Oak Grove	Mrs. Mont Nelson, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651				5	x		x	1	1.5	15957		15957	16900	16900	600	8078	14096
Oakwoods	Donald Grimstead, P. O. Box 378, Wilkesboro 28697				13	x			6.4	2.4	10608		10608	3110	3110		7743	10853
Palm	Mrs. Olin Foster, Rt. 1, Box 206, Wilkesboro 28697				16	x					21209		21209	7100	7100		8436	15536
Pleasant Grove	Mary Rummy, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651				30	x					8267	50	8267	5280	5280		8593	14873
Pleasant Home	Burt Beasly, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651				19	x					6472	137	6472	4160	4160		1595	3537
Purlear River	Mrs. Jerry McDaniel, Box 85, Roaming River 28669				15	x					800		800	2910	2910	945	1122	5937
Rocky Creek	Miss Faye Eller, Rt. 1, Box 38, Hays 28635				5	x					2554	19	2554	551	551		694	1245
Shady Grove	Mrs. Tommy Harley, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606				5	x					6297		6297	2490	2490	3226	1190	8166
Stony Hill	Mrs. Gwyn Whittington, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665				8	x					6104		6104	2700	2700		2726	5426
Walnut Grove	Don Cooper, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28654				20	x		x	1	2	11268		11268	5893	5893	900	1688	9310
Welcome Home	Mrs. Gwyn Eller, Rt. 4, Box 444, N. Wilkesboro 28659				30	x			2.5	2.5	12701	410	12701	4420	4420		5027	9447
Wilkesboro	J. R. Priest, 804 Woodland Blvd., Wilkesboro 28697				140	x		x	13.4	2.9	66733	3405	66733	30092	30092	700	702	20003
Zion Hill	Atwell German, Boomer 28606					x					19000		19000	5558	5558	3727	3294	18160
TOTALS											765339	7801	765339	261856	38180	96045	255874	651956

TABLE I SPECIAL INFORMATION														1972										Does church have or observe?										38		40		41		42		43		44	
Association														No. church-type missions started during the year										Com. existing during past yr										Y		Number ordained for Gospel ministry during the year		Training Union meeting time		Number of active deacons		Kindergarten enrolment		Day care enrolment	
State														No. church-type missions started during the year										Com. existing during past yr										Y		Number ordained for Gospel ministry during the year		Training Union meeting time		Number of active deacons		Kindergarten enrolment		Day care enrolment	
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN														No. church-type missions started during the year										Com. existing during past yr										Y		Number ordained for Gospel ministry during the year		Training Union meeting time		Number of active deacons		Kindergarten enrolment		Day care enrolment	
State														No. church-type missions started during the year										Com. existing during past yr										Y		Number ordained for Gospel ministry during the year		Training Union meeting time		Number of active deacons		Kindergarten enrolment		Day care enrolment	
NORTH CAROLINA														No. church-type missions started during the year										Com. existing during past yr										Y		Number ordained for Gospel ministry during the year		Training Union meeting time		Number of active deacons		Kindergarten enrolment		Day care enrolment	
Moderator														No. church-type missions started during the year										Com. existing during past yr										Y		Number ordained for Gospel ministry during the year		Training Union meeting time		Number of active deacons		Kindergarten enrolment		Day care enrolment	
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APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE
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This is to certify that the

(Name of Church)

(Address)

in church conference _____ 19 _____

Voted to make formal application for

membership in the Brushy Mountain Missionary Baptist Association, and pledges itself to support the Baptist Denomination and its program of carrying out our Lord's Commands within the Association, the State, the Homeland, and throughout the world. The "Articles of Faith," known and commonly accepted by Baptists as the "New Hampshire Confession of Faith," has been read before the congregation and approved. It further pledges itself to live by the "Church Covenant" of a Missionary Baptist Church. It declares itself to be a duly-constituted and organized Missionary Baptist Church, and will maintain this status at all times, or will voluntarily withdraw from the Association.

It understands that upon submitting this application, accompanied with a Southern Baptist Convention uniform Associational letter to the Annual Session of the Association, and if the Association received the application and uniform letter, it will be referred to the Committee on New Churches for study and investigation. The Church maintains for the year the status of Associate Membership until the committee makes its recommendation, if favorable, it will be received into full membership with all the rights and privileges at the next Annual Session.

Signed _____ Pastor

_____ Clerk

_____ Deacon

_____ Deacon

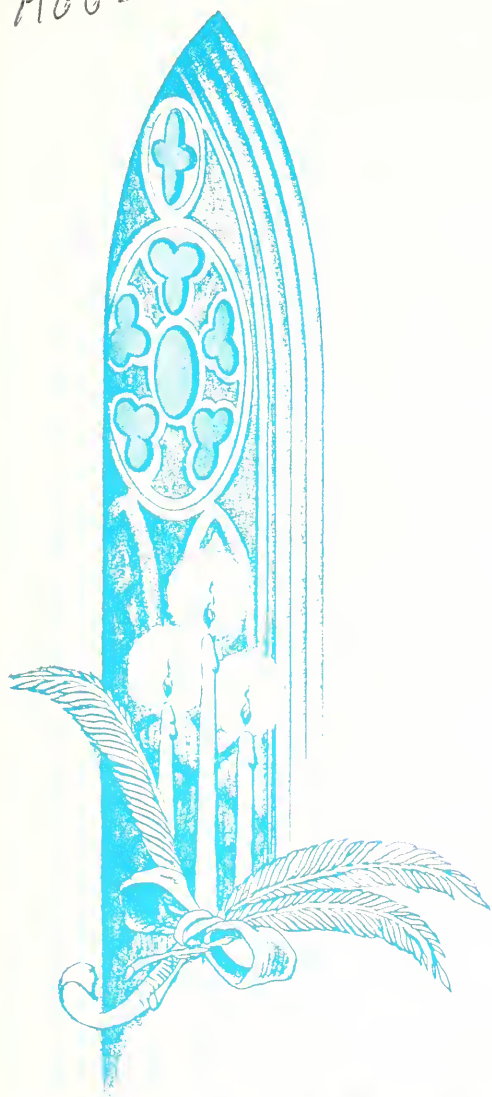
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The One Hundred Third Annual Session will be held
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ALTERNATE Rev. James Weaver

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at Lewis Fork Baptist Church

SERMON Rev. Alfred Andrews
ALTERNATE Rev. Glenn Ballard

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Mrs. Paul Shoupe, Rt. 5, N. Wilkesboro.....	(2)	28659
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Rev. Paul Shoupe, Rt. 5, N. Wilkesboro.....	(C) (2)	28659
Mrs. Clate Bumgarner, Rt. 1, Millers Creek	(3)	28651

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Rev. N. C. Teague, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro	(3)	28697

ASSOCIATIONAL EXECUTIVE PROMOTION COMMITTEE

1. All main officers of the association
2. All pastors of churches in the association
3. One elected representative from each church in the association

ELECTED REPRESENTATIVES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

BEAVER CREEK: Mr. John Adams, Rt. 1, Boomer.....	28606
BETHANY:	
BOILING SPRINGS: Mr. Turner Huffman, Rt. 1, Box 79, Purlear	28665
CALVARY:	
CRICKET:	
CUB CREEK: Mr. Buddy Anderson, P. O. Box 68, Moravian Falls.....	28654
DAVIS MEMORIAL: Mr. Paul Fairchild, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro.....	28697
EDGEWOOD: Mr. Dale Brown, Rt. 3, Box 603, N. Wilkesboro	28659
ELK: Richard F. Walsh, Rt. 2, Ferguson.....	28624
FISHING CREEK: Mr. Elbert Love, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro.....	28697
FRIENDLY GROVE:	
GORDON:	
GOSHEN: Mrs. Helen Bumgarner, 1214 Hinshaw St., N. Wilkesboro	28659
HARMONY:	
HINSHAW STREET: Mr. Minter Cleary, Rt. 5, Box 565, N. Wilkesboro	28659
LEWIS FORK: Mr. Curtis Foster, Rt. 1, Purlear	28665
LIBERTY GROVE:	
LITTLE ROCK: Mr. Rowan Motsinger, Rt. 1, Boomer	28606
MILLERS CREEK: Mr. O. L. Phillips, N. Wilkesboro	28659
MORAVIAN FALLS: Mr. Walter Phillips, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro	28697
MT. CARMEL:	
MT. PLEASANT: Mr. Earnest Walsh, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro	28697
MT. ZION:	
NEW HOPE: Mr. Clarence Benton, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro.....	28659
N. WILKESBORO FIRST: Mr. Max Foster, 509 F Street, N. Wilkesboro.....	28659

N. WILKESBORO SECOND: Mr. J. D. Berrong, Rt. 5, Box 425, N. W.	28659
OAK GROVE: Mr. Virgil Stanley, Rt. 5, N. Wilkesboro	28659
OAKWOODS: Mr. G. Wayne Sprinkle, Rt. 2, Box 200, Wilkesboro	28697
PILGRIM: Mr. Sloan Deal, Rt. 1, Millers Creek	28651
PLEASANT GROVE:	
PLEASANT HOME: Mr. Bryce Greene, Rt. 1, N. Wilkesboro	28659
PURLEAR: Mr. James Spears, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro	28697
ROARING RIVER:	
ROCKY CREEK:	
SHADY GROVE:	
SHARON WALKER:	
STONY HILL: Mr. Fred Huffman, Rt. 1 Purlear	28665
WALNUT GROVE: Mr. Joel Bentley, 1001 Trogdon St., N. Wilkesboro	28659
WELCOME HOME: Mr. Dale McNeil, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro	28659
WILKESBORO: Mrs. George Johnson, 201 E. Main St., Wilkesboro	28697
ZION HILL: Mr. Earle German, Boomer	28606

CHURCH DIRECTORY

MISSION AND SPONSORING CHURCH

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Northside Chapel	N. Wilkesboro First Church

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Fishing Creek: Bill Johnson, Rt. 5, N. Wilkesboro	28659
Goshen: Clay Crisp, Rt. 1, Boomer	28606
Millers Creek: Mrs. Phillip Day, Rt. 1, Purlear	28665
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Pilgrim: Gus Kerhoulas, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro	28697
Roaring River: Rev. Michael Almond, Rt. 2, Roaring River	28669
Shady Grove: Hubert Bullis, Rt. 2, Box 172, Moravian Falls	28654
Stony Hill: Rayvaughn Spears, Box 20 B, Purlear	28665

STEWARDSHIP CHAIRMEN:	
Hinshaw Street: Virgil Moore, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro	28659
N. Wilkesboro First: Keith Bentley, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro	28697

MISSIONS COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN:	
Moravian Falls: John Tugman, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro	28697
N. Wilkesboro First: R. H. Llewellyn, 604 Sixth St., N. W.	28659

ORGANIST OR PIANIST

BEAVER CREEK: Mrs. Brenda Blevins, Rt. 1, Ferguson.....	28624
BETHANY: Mrs. Leo Hayes, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls.....	28654
BOILING SPRINGS: Debra Ferrell, Box 78B, Purlear.....	28665
CALVARY: Martha Church, Rt. 1, Box 88, Wilkesboro.....	28697
CRICKET: (No Report)	
CUB CREEK: Mrs. Marcia Caudill, Rt. 3, Box 350, Wilkesboro.....	28697
DAVIS MEMORIAL: Miss Ruby Harris, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro.....	28697
EDGEWOOD: Mrs. Dale Brown, Rt. 3, Box 603, N. Wilkesboro.....	28659
ELK: Majorie Roberts, Rt. 1, Ferguson.....	28624
FISHING CREEK: Wanda Brown, Rt. 5, N. Wilkesboro.....	28659
FRIENDLY GROVE: Mrs. Gary McGlamery, Rt. 1, Millers Creek.....	28651
GORDON: (No Report)	
GOSHEN: Dina Church, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro.....	28697
HARMONY: Miss Linda Treadway, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro.....	28659
HINSHAW STREET: Miss Elaine Brinegar, 1202 Franklin St., N. W.....	28659
LEWIS FORK: Franklin Triplett, Rt. 1, Purlear.....	28665
LIBERTY GROVE: Mrs. Ralph Taylor, Rt. 2, N. Wilkesboro.....	28659
LITTLE ROCK: Mrs. John Andrews, Rt. 1, Boomer.....	28606
MILLERS CREEK: Miss Debbie Bumgarner, Rt. 1, Millers Creek.....	28651
MORAVIAN FALLS: Pandora Johnson, Faw St., Wilkesboro.....	28697
MT. CARMEL: Mrs. Jimmy Houck, P. O. Box 206, Moravian Falls.....	28654
MT. PLEASANT: Eugene Eller, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro.....	28697
MT. ZION: Miss Derry Welborn, Rt. 1, Ferguson.....	28624
NEW HOPE: Mrs. Harold Triplett, Rt. 1 Purlear.....	28665
N. WILKESBORO FIRST: E. E. Sloan, 325 Forest Hills Rd., W.....	28697
N. WILKESBORO SECOND: Miss Ann Parsons, Rt. 1, N. Wilkesboro.....	28659
OAK GROVE: Miss Cindy Roten, Rt. 1, Millers Creek.....	28651
OAKWOODS: Travis Baker, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro.....	28697
PILGRIM: Mrs. Dennis Faw, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro.....	28697
PLEASANT GROVE: Mrs. Shirley Hamby, Rt. 1, Box 69, Wilkesboro.....	28697
PLEASANT HOME: Miss Vickie Reeves, Rt. 1, Millers Creek.....	28651
PURLEAR: Mrs. Patsy Reid, Rt. 1, Purlear.....	28665
ROARING RIVER: Faye Sparks, Box 36, Rt. 2, Roaring River.....	28669
ROCKY CREEK:	
SHADY GROVE: Miss Christine Eller, Rt. 1, Box 336, Wilkesboro.....	28697
SHARON WALKER: Mrs. Wake Payne, Rt. 1, Boomer.....	28606
STONY HILL: Miss Pattie Johnson, Rt. 1, Box 74, Purlear.....	28665
WALNUT GROVE: Mrs. Worth Bentley, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls.....	28654
WELCOME HOME: Mrs. Josephine Yates, Rt. 1, Purlear.....	28665
WILKESBORO: Mr. Russ Stinson, Ken Acres, Wilkesboro.....	28697
ZION HILL: Elaine German, Boomer.....	28606

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BOILING SPRINGS: Fannie Yates, Rt. 1, Purlear.....	28665
CUB CREEK: Mrs. Jessie Johnson, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls.....	28654
FISHING CREEK: Mrs. Archie Holland, Rt. 3, N. Wilkesboro.....	28659
HINSHAW STREET: Mrs. Michael Pardue, Rt. 1, Box 38, Wilkesboro.....	28697
LEWIS FORK: Miss Velma Golds, Rt. 1, Purlear.....	28665
MORAVIAN FALLS: Martha Glass, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro.....	28697
MT. PLEASANT: Mrs. Melba Wood, Rt. 1, Ferguson.....	28624
NEW HOPE: Mrs. Jimmy Benton, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro.....	28659
N. WILKESBORO FIRST: Mrs. Jerry Watson, Rt. 3, B. 153, N. Wilkesboro.....	28659
PILGRIM: Mrs. Bobby Deal, Rt. 1, Millers Creek.....	28651
PLEASANT HOME : Mrs. Ernest Walker, Rt. 1, Millers Creek.....	28651
ROARING RIVER: Lela Boles, Box 5, Roaring River.....	28669
WALNUT GROVE: Mrs. Bertha Hodges, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls.....	28654

MINISTERS OTHER THAN PASTOR BELONGING TO CHURCH

The following code designates present status: PI-Part-time, Interim, etc.CH-Chaplain: E-Evangelist; R-Retired; I-Inactive; AW-Associational Workers; SW-State Denominational Worker; CW-Convention worker; O-Other church related work.

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BOILING SPRINGS: W. H. Carroll, Rt. 1, Purlear	28665
Rev. Shumate, 1003 Franklin St., N. Wilkesboro.....	28659
Thomas Holder, Rt. 7, Sanford	
CALVARY: Roy Foster, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro	28659
Jerry Winkler, PI, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro	28659
Howard Bumgarner, PI, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro	28659
Howard Pennell, I, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro	28697
CUB CREEK: Woodrow Key, I, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro	28697
FISHING CREEK: Clyde Church, R. Hill St., Wilkesboro.....	28697
Hugh Hayes, PI, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro.....	28697
Dewey Foster, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro	28697
FRIENDLY GROVE: Onnie Dancy, O, Rt. 1, Millers Creek	28651
GOSHEN: John Higgins, R, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro.....	28697
Ed. O. Miller, R, Rt. 1, Boomer.....	28606
HINSHAW STREET: J. C. Pruitt, R, 703 K Street, N. Wilkesboro	28659
C. S. Welborn, I, 1118 K Street, N. Wilkesboro.....	28659
James Durham, I, 6 Park Rd., N. Wilkesboro	28659
Albert Pruitt, Rt. 5, N. Wilkesboro.....	28659
LITTLE ROCK: Thurston Barnes, Rt. 1, Boomer	28606
MORAVIAN FALLS: N. C. Teague, R, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro	28697
Jack Boston, CH, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro.....	28697
MT. CARMEL: Kelly Pipes, Rt. 2, B. 103, Moravian Falls	28654
Ricky Osborne, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls	28654
Jack Phillips, Moravian Falls	28654
NEW HOPE: Vernon Eller, I, Rt. 1, Purlear	28665
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Carl Rogers, I, 910 Trogdon Avenue, N. Wilkesboro.....	28659
N. WILKESBORO SECOND: Ralph Miller, PI, N. Wilkesboro.....	28659
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OAKWOODS: Fred Blevins, R, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro	28697
Bynum Triplette, I, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro	28697
Tommy Johnson, I, Wilkesboro	28697
PILGRIM: Earl Adams, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro	28697
Wade Phillips, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro	28697
SHARON WALKER: Wake Payne, O, Rt. 1, Boomer	28606
WELCOME HOME: Steve Ashley, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro	28659
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ELK: Bruce Eller, N. Wilkesboro.....	28659
LEWIS FORK: Rex Foster, Rt. 1, Purlear	28665
Johnny Adams, Rt. 1, Purlear	28665
Wayne Adams, Rt. 1, Purlear	28665
LITTLE ROCK: Robert Livingston, Rt. 1, Boomer	28606
Jerry Kilby, Rt. 1, Boomer	28606
MT. PLEASANT: J. H. McKuken, Rt. 1, Ferguson.....	28624
Michael Walsh, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro	28697
NEW HOPE: Everette Church, Rt. 1, Purlear.....	28665
PLEASANT HOME: Gary McNeil, Rt. 1, Millers Creek.....	28651

MINISTERS ORDAINED DURING YEAR

CALVARY: Jerry Winkler, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro	28659
FRIENDLY GROVE: Onnie Dancy, Rt. 1, Millers Creek	28651
MT. CARMEL: Jack Phillips, Moravian Falls	28654
SHADY GROVE: Floyd Minton, Rt. 3, Box 147, Wilkesboro	28697

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DAVIS MEMORIAL: Paul Fairchild, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro.	28697
LITTLE ROCK: Jerry Kilby, Rt. 1, Boomer.	28606
MT. CARMEL: Jack Phillips, Moravian Falls	28654
NEW HOPE: Everette Church, Rt. 1, Purlear.	28665

CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE I - NAME

This body shall be known as the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association of Wilkes County, North Carolina.

ARTICLE II - PURPOSE

It shall be the purpose of this Association to consider and promote measures for increasing the harmony, the intelligence, and the spiritual life of the churches and for developing and directing their energies and their contributions in the advancement of Christ's kingdom throughout the earth, always in harmony with the teachings of the New Testament. This Association shall be an auxiliary to the North Carolina Baptist State Convention in all its missionary, educational and benevolent work.

ARTICLE III - MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. The Association shall be composed of Missionary Baptists Churches desiring to affiliate with it. Each church may be represented in the annual associational meetings by its pastor and any other ordained ministers holding membership in it and living within the bounds of the Association. In addition to these each church may elect three (3) messengers for the first one hundred (100) members or fraction thereof, plus one additional messenger for each additional one hundred (100) members or major fraction thereof, provided, that no church shall be entitled to send more than ten (10) messengers.

Section 2. Any church desiring to become a member of the Association shall present through messengers chosen for that purpose, its request for membership on APPLICATION for MEMBERSHIP provided in the minutes along with a UNIFORM ASSOCIATIONAL LETTER provided by the clerk at any Annual Session of the Body. The Moderator shall refer the church to the Committee on New Churches for study and investigation. The church maintains for the year the status of Associate membership until the Committee makes its recommendation, if favorable, it will be received into full membership with all the rights and privileges at the next Annual Session: If the Association then votes to receive the church the Moderator shall extend the hand of fellowship to the messengers.

Section 3. Any church not representing itself in this body for three successive years, either by letter or by messengers shall be stricken from the roll of churches, unless satisfactory reasons for such failure are given.

Section 4. The Association shall withdraw fellowship from any church in its membership which shall be found to be disorderly in faith and practice, but not until charges are brought against it by some other church and carefully considered by the Association.

ARTICLE IV - OFFICERS AND THEIR DUTIES

Section 1. The officers of the Association shall consist of a Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, Brotherhood Director, Woman's Missionary Union Director, Director of Music Ministry, School of Chris-

tian Studies Director. Superintendent of Evangelism, Librarian and Representatives for the following: Biblical Recorder, Baptist Hospital, Children's Home, Homes for Aging, Baptist Colleges, POAU, Annuity Board, American Bible Society, Fruitland, State Missions and Foreign Missions. These shall be elected annually on the second day of the annual session before the noon recess adjournment by a majority of the members voting and shall begin their term of office upon final adjournment of the session at which elected and shall continue in office until the close of the next annual session. Any officer may succeed himself, except the Moderator who may not serve more than two years in succession.

The Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, Brotherhood Director, Woman's Missionary Union Director and the Superintendent of Evangelism, will be elected at the Executive Promotion Committee Meeting in August. After their election they will become a part of the Nominating Committee.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside at all meetings, preserve order, appoint all committees not otherwise provided for, and exercised all other duties of a presiding officer according to the principles of established parliamentary usage; he shall also, as far as his private duties may permit, visit and communicate with the churches between the sessions of the Association to encourage and assist them in their work for the kingdom. He shall appoint a Nominating Committee, and Committee on Committees at the annual meeting to serve for the following year. He shall be chairman of the Executive Committee, and ex-officio member of all other committees.

Section 3. The Vice-Moderator shall discharge the duties of the Moderator in his absence, or at his request, and be Vice-Chairman of the Executive Committee.

Section 4. The Clerk shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the Association; shall superintend their printing and distribution to the churches; shall send one copy each to the General Secretary of the Baptist State Convention, the Baptist Sunday School Board, Nashville, Tenn., the American Baptist Publication Society, Philadelphia, Pa., and to our denominational agencies or institutions requesting them; shall preserve a file of all Association records; shall provide at least one month prior to the annual session of the Association form letters for the use of the churches in making their reports to the Association and shall suggest to each church, based on the actual cost of printing, the amount needed for the printing and distribution of the Annual. He shall serve as Secretary of the Executive Committee.

Section 5. The Treasurer shall receive and disburse all funds of the Associations, as directed by the Association, and make an itemized statement at each annual session.

Section 6. The Historian shall collect facts of interest to the Association and the cooperating churches, and shall make a report to each annual session of the Association.

Section 7. The Trustees shall be three in number. It shall be their duty to hold in trust any property, endowment or other securities of this Association, and to be representative of the Association in legal matters.

ARTICLE V - COMMITTEES AND THEIR DUTIES

Section 1. At each annual session of the Association the Moderator shall appoint a Nominating Committee composed of three members from as many different churches. It shall be the duty of this committee to nominate and present to the Association at its next annual session a complete slate of officers and institutional representatives. After presentation of these nominations the Moderators shall give opportunity for nominations from the floor for any and all of these positions. Should vacancies occur by death or resignation, it shall be the duty of this committee to name a person to fill the vacant position until the next annual session of the Association, with the approval of the Executive Committee.

Section 2. At each annual session of the Association the Moderator shall appoint a COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES composed of six members from as many different churches. It shall be the duty of this committee to nominate and present to the Association at its next annual session members of all standing committees not otherwise provided for in this constitution. Should vacancies occur by death or resignation, it shall be the duty of this Committee to name a person to fill the vacant position until the next annual session of the Association, with the approval of the Executive Committee.

Section 3. THE EXECUTIVE PROMOTION COMMITTEE shall consist of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Director, Associational Church Training Director, Director of Music Ministry, Associational W. M. U. Director, Associational Brotherhood Director and all the pastors of churches within the Association together with one member from each church to be elected by the church. A quorum shall

consist of ten (10) members of the committee, including four of the above mentioned officers, providing that either the Moderator or the Vice-Moderator is present. It shall be the duty of the Executive Promotion Committee to cooperate with the Baptist State Convention and with the churches of the Association in the promotion of any plans which may seem wise for the extension of Christ's Kingdom, and to take such steps as may be necessary to put into successful operation any plans adopted by the Association. The committee shall meet at least once each quarter at a time to be agreed upon or at the call of the Moderator. The officers of the Association shall be the officers of this committee with the Moderator serving as chairman.

Section 4. THE ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS COMMITTEE shall be composed of the Associational Sunday School Director, the Associational Church Training Director, the Associational Director of Music Ministry, the Associational W. M. U. Director, the Associational Brotherhood Director and three pastors, who along with the chairman, shall be nominated by the Committee on Committees. It shall be the duty of this committee to cooperate with the Associational Missionary in the extension of Baptist work throughout the Associational area, and advise with him in matters pertaining to his work and activities. It shall also be the duty of the committee, in the event of a vacancy in the position of Associational Missionary, to seek out and recommend to the Executive Promotion Committee and the Association a suitable person. It shall be the further duty of this committee to consult with the Finance Committee on matters of expense and to provide information to the Baptist State Convention officials which might be helpful in meeting missionary needs and to make recommendations to the Association in matters of this kind.

Section 5. THE FINANCE COMMITTEE shall be composed of six members with the Treasurer serving as EX-OFFICIO MEMBER. It shall be the duty of this committee to plan and recommend to the Executive Promotion Committee and the Association a financial budget for the coming year and to supervise the raising and expenditure of funds.

Section 6. THE COMMITTEE ON NEW CHURCHES shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to receive applications from churches seeking admission to the Association and, after careful investigation and deliberation, to report to the Association on such applications in keeping with the provisions of this Constitution.

Section 7. THE CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to study and recommend any necessary change in the Constitution and bring reports as necessary to the Association.

Section 8. THE ORDER OF BUSINESS COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to arrange the program for the annual session of the Association and present the same for adoption at its opening session. The Moderator and the Superintendent of Missions will serve as special advisors on this committee.

Section 9. THE TIME, PLACE, AND PREACHER COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to receive or solicit invitations for the place of meeting and to recommend to the annual session a place or places of meeting, preacher, and an alternate for the Introductory Sermon, a preacher and an alternate for the Missionary Sermon and the dates for the next annual session.

Section 10. THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to study and report on such resolutions as may be referred to it and to present such other resolutions as may be appropriate at the annual session.

Section 11. THE COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL SERVICE AND CIVIC RIGHTEOUSNESS shall be composed of three members from as many different churches whose duty it shall be to study the social and civic problems of our area, along with relevant literature available through the Christian Life Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention, and to report to the annual session of the Association their findings along with recommendations for specific action by the Association and/or cooperating churches.

Section 12. THE STEWARDSHIP AND COOPERATIVE PROGRAM COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duties it shall be to encourage each church to teach and practice Bible stewardship, to give to associational missions, and to support world mission causes through the Cooperative Program.

Section 13. THE COMMITTEE ON EVANGELISM, composed of three members shall promote the work of evangelism in the Association in cooperation with the State Department of Evangelism. All plans and programs to be subject to the approval of the Association or its Executive Promotion Committee.

Section 14. THE CALENDAR COMMITTEE shall be composed of the following associational officers: Missionary, Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, W. M. U. Direc-

tor, Brotherhood Director, Director of Music Ministry, and President of the Pastor's Conference. This committee shall prepare an associational calendar for the year, and present same to the Executive Committee, and to the annual meeting, for adoption. This calendar shall be included in the Annual.

Section 15. THE COMMITTEE ON ORDINATION, composed of six pastors, shall, when requested by a member church, assist with the examination and ordination of candidates for the Gospel Ministry. Churches wishing to ordain ministers are requested to place their candidates before the Committee at least thirty (30) days prior to the date set for ordination for examination on the following principles:

- a. Christian experience or conversion;
- b. Call to the ministry;
- c. Attitude toward denominational work and objects;
- d. Support of denominational causes;
- e. Moral and spiritual fitness;
- f. Doctrinal beliefs;
- g. Knowledge of the Bible.

Candidates are to be ordained with the assistance of this committee only, when they are serving a church or churches as Pastor or having been called as Pastor of a Missionary Baptist Church.

No candidate for ordination shall be considered by the committee who has not been a member of a cooperating church for at least one year.

Candidates are to be urged to prepare themselves for the ministry as far as possible in Baptist Institutions of higher learning.

This committee shall not recommend any candidate for ordination whom they feel will not bring honor and esteem to the Lord, to Southern Baptists and to the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association.

Recommendations will be made by the Committee to the church where the candidate holds membership. The committee will assist the church in the ordination service at a time convenient to the church and to the members of the committee if such assistance is desired.

Section 16. THE COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS, composed of three members, shall bring a report at the annual meeting, leading in a Memorial service, in memory of those reported by the churches as deceased since the last annual meeting.

Section 17. PROPERTIES COMMITTEE. This committee shall be composed of three members and shall have the responsibility of supervision of all properties belonging to the Association and shall give attention to the condition of the properties owned by the Association. This committee shall make such repairs or improvements as deemed necessary. All matters of major repairs or improvements shall be referred to the Finance Committee for action and recommendation to the Executive Committee. This committee shall make at least one annual inspection of all properties owned by the Association.

ARTICLE VI - GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 1. The employment of an Associational Missionary shall follow the procedure outlined in Section 4, Article V, with the understanding that said person be extended an indefinite call and that a period of 30 days notice be given by either the missionary or the Association in the event of termination of such employment.

Section 2. All questions of order not herein provided for shall be decided according to some standard work on parliamentary practice, preferably ROBERTS RULE OF ORDER, Revised.

Section 3. Amendments to this Constitution may be made at any annual session upon vote of two-thirds of the members present, provided that such amendments be presented on the first day of the annual session and voted upon the second day.

ARTICLE VII - AMENDMENTS

Section 1. ROTATING OF COMMITTEES. One-third of each committee shall be elected to serve a period of three years. Committees or parts of committees composed of organizational heads shall not be subject to rotation. No member shall succeed himself. Vacancies occurring during the year may be filled immediately by the Executive Committee.

Section 2. ELECTION OF OFFICERS. The Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, Brotherhood Director, Woman's Missionary Union Director and The Superintendent of

Evangelism, will be elected at the Executive Promotion Committee Meeting 10/6/71

Section 3. SPECIAL ADVISORS. The Moderator and the Superintendent of Missions will serve on all committees of the association as special advisors. 10/6/71

BY-LAWS

- 1. The Association shall convene annually on _____ and continue two days or longer in the judgment of the Committee on Order of Business and subject to the approval of the Association.
- 2. Each session of the Association shall be opened with religious exercise, conducted by whomsoever the Committee on Order of Business may designate.
- 3. A majority of the members present shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of any business except the matter of making changes in the Constitution.
- 4. Any member wishing to speak shall rise and address the Moderator, shall confine himself strictly to the question under consideration, and avoid the use of unnecessary personalities.
- 5. The members shall observe toward the officers and towards one another such courtesies as are becoming to Christians.
- 6. The annual Associational year, for the purpose of reporting statistical information shall be September 1 to August 31, inclusive.
- 7. Amendments to the By-Laws may be made by a majority vote of members present at any annual meeting of the Association.

REVISED OCTOBER 15-16, 1969

AMENDMENT TO BY-LAW NO. 1. (The Association shall convene annually on _____ and continue two days or longer in the judgement of the Committee on Order of Business and subject to the approval of the Association.)

On recommendation from the Constitution Committee, October 4, 1972, the Association voted to amend By-law 1 to read as follows: The Association shall meet on Monday night before the first Tueseday in October and for a full day session on the first Tuesday in October.

Program

BRUSHY MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
102ND ANNUAL SESSION
MONDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 1, 1973 - FISHING CREEK CHURCH

- 7:00 p. m. Hymn
- 7:05 p. m. Scripture and Prayer Rev. Vaughn Brown
- 7:10 p. m. Report of Committee on Order of Business Mrs. Hal Hawkins
- Appointment of Committees Rev. J. C. Shaw
- 7:15 p. m. Recognition of New Pastors Rev. I. V. Couch
- 7:20 p. m. Executive Committee Report Rev. J. C. Shaw
- Treasurer's Report Mrs. Albert Holman
- Finance Committee Report Mr. Raymond Blevins
- Trustees Mr. J. F. Jordan
- 7:35 p. m. History of Fishing Creek Church Rev. J. F. Jordan
- 7:45 p. m. Nominating Committee Report Rev. Paul Shoupe
- Committee on Committees Rev. Ralph Stanley
- 7:50 p. m. Miscellaneous Business
- 7:55 p. m. Hymn
- 8:00 p. m. Special Music
- 8:05 p. m. Sermon Rev. I. V. Couch

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1973 - PLEASANT HOME CHURCH

- 9:00 a. m. Hymn
- 9:05 a. m. Scripture and Prayer Rev. Gwyn Blackburn

9:10 a. m.	History of Pleasant Home Church	Mr. J. F. Jordan
9:20 a. m.	Mission Reports	
	Associational	Rev. Ralph Stanley
	State	Mrs. Rex Whittington
	Home	Mrs. Lloyd Pardue
	Foreign	Rev. Allen Laymon
9:35 a. m.	Organizational Reports	
	Sunday School	(No Report)
	Church Training	Mrs. Rena Spicer
	Woman's Missionary Union	Mrs. Robert Foster
	Baptist Men	Mr. Ray Shomaker
	Vacation Bible School	Rev. Glenn Byrd
	Music	Mr. E. E. Sloan
9:50 a. m.	Baptist State Convention Representative	Rev. Robert Mullinax
10:15 a. m.	Miscellaneous Business	
10:25 a. m.	Hymn	
10:30 a. m.	Social Services Agencies Reports	
	Children's Homes	Rev. Mace Johnson
	Hospital	Rev. Jack Boston
	Representative	
	Homes for Aging	Rev. Gwyn Blackburn
	Representative	
11:00 a. m.	Christian Higher Education	Mr. Cecil Porter
	Representative	Rev. Robert Mullinax
11:10 a. m.	Break	
11:20 a. m.	Hymn	
11:25 a. m.	General Reports	
	American Bible Society	Rev. Joe Crouch
	Evangelism	Rev. E. W. McMurray
	General Board	Mrs. I. V. Couch
	Stewardship and Cooperative Program	Rev. Paul Shoupe
	Time, Place and Preacher	Rev. Joe Crouch
	Digest of Church Letters	Rev. I. V. Couch
11:40 a. m.	BIBLICAL RECORDER	Mr. D. E. Elledge
11:50 a. m.	Baptist Foundation	Representative
12:00 noon	Annuity Board	Rev. N. C. Teague
12:05 p. m.	Historical Sketches of the Churches	Mrs. Albert Holman
12:10 p. m.	Resolutions Committee	Mrs. Floyd Jennings
12:15 p. m.	In Memoriam	Mrs. Gilbert Foster
12:25 p. m.	Scripture and Prayer	Rev. Glenn Byrd
	Special Music	
12:30 p. m.	Annual Sermon	Rev. Carl Walker
1:00 p. m.	Adjournment and Lunch	

MESSENGERS REGISTERED 1973

Pastor of church listed first in bold type

BEAVER CREEK: REV. JOE CROUCH, Parks Hayes, Mrs. Beatrice Hayes, Mrs. C. W. Ferguson, Marguerite Hayes

BETHANY: Mrs. Herman Moore, Herman Moore, Ed Hendren, Lowell Hendren

BOILING SPRINGS: REV. R. A. CALL, Mrs. Luther Parsons, Mrs. Rollen Bishop, Melvina Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. Thad Yates

CALVARY: REV. FELLMAN CHEEK, Mrs. Carl Faw, J. P. Nichols, Carl Faw, Marvin Billings, Naomi Billings

CUB CREEK: Mrs. Glenn Byrd, Jean Wagoner, Mrs. Robert Johnson, William Pegram, Mrs. Commie Johnson, Mrs. Faye Joines

DAVIS MEMORIAL: REV. WILEY CARROLL, Jettie Scott, Annie Harris

EDGEWOOD: REV. FRANK WALKER, Mrs. Frank Walker, Mrs. Clifford Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Johnston, Mrs. Dennis Brannock, J. W. Hayes, Ruby Anderson

ELK: REV. JAMES WEAVER, Mrs. Clark McNeil, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Eller, Jr.
 FISHING CREEK: REV. VAUGHN BROWN, Carlos Pardue, Wade Walsh, Edward Brown, Darlene Brown, Mrs. Edd Beshears, Carlene Johnson, Renae Johnson, Mrs. Homer Joyner, Elbert Love
 FRIENDLY GROVE: Mrs. Roland Englebert, Mrs. Ruth Faw
 GORDON: W. P. Carson, Bill Carson, Alice Minton
 GOSHEN: REV. GLENN BALLARD, Mrs. Jesse Walsh, Jr., Jesse Walsh, Sr., Irene Proffit, Mrs. Arnold Bumgarner, Mrs. Clay Crisp
 HARMONY: REV. MONROE HUFFMAN, Clyde Bumgarner, David Treadway
 HINSHAW STREET: DR. W. L. PITTS, Mrs. W. L. Pitts, Bob Fender, Mrs. S. V. Walker, Mrs. A. C. Brooks, Mrs. Virginia Sprinkle
 LEWIS FORK: REV. SHERRILL WELLBORN, Mrs. Bob Wood, Mrs. Waldon Foster, Mrs. Albert Holman
 LIBERTY GROVE: REV. PAUL SHOUPPE, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Reavis, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Chipman, Jim Henderson, Glenn Mitchell
 LITTLE ROCK: REV. CARL WALKER, Mrs. Carl Walker, Mrs. Everette Griffin, Mr. Edd Andrews, Mrs. R. B. Livingston
 MILLERS CREEK: REV. RALPH STANLEY, Mrs. Clate Bumgarner, Mrs. V. M. Church
 MORAVIAN FALLS: REV. E. W. McMURRAY, Mrs. Caney Lowe, N. C. Teague, Mrs. Hal Hawkins, John Tugman
 MT. CARMEL: REV. PAUL LAWS, Robert Pipes, Barbara Pipes, Lila Pipes, Roy Hood, Bob Staley
 MT. PLEASANT: REV. J. C. SHAW, Mrs. J. C. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. John McKuhen, Terry Church, Mrs. Maxine Church, Mrs. Edwin Church
 MT. ZION: Mr. and Mrs. John Barnette, Mrs. Madeline Welborn, Rea Hodges
 NEW HOPE: REV. HUNTER CHURCH, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Eller, Mr. and Mrs. Roby Eller, Hubert Canter
 N. WILKESBORO FIRST: REV. ALLEN LAYMON, Mrs. Wm. Kent Sturdivant, Sr., W. K. Sturdivant, Belva Gregory, John T. Wayland, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Elledge, E. E. Sloan
 OAK GROVE: Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Yates, Hansford Hodges, Nora Hodges, Mont Nelson
 OAKWOODS: REV. PHILLIP SWANSON, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Anderson, Margaret Johnson
 PILGRIM: Mrs. Kermit Whittington, Mrs. Chester Brown, Mrs. Pete Williams
 PLEASANT HOME: REV. GWYN BLACKBURN, Mrs. Hazel Reavis, Mrs. Alma Blackburn, Mrs. C. O. Lovette, Mr. C. O. Lovette, Mrs. Ernest Walker, Cora Adams
 PURLEAR: REV. REX ELDTRETH, Carol Evans, Tom Hayes, Wayne Yates, James Huffman
 ROARING RIVER: REV. MICHAEL ALMOND
 SHADY GROVE: REV. FLOYD MINTON, Hubert Bullis, Jewel Bullis, Evert Ferguson, Donald Owens, Betty Owens, Addie Monton
 SHARON WALKER: Mr. and Mrs. Wake Payne, Mrs. Runie Ferguson, Mrs. Betty Messick
 STONY HILL: REV. ROY FOSTER, C. M. Hamby
 WALNUT GROVE: Bessie Brock, Mrs. Earl Meadows, Vaughn Jennings, Mrs. Marvin Ashley, Bertha Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Ashley
 WELCOME HOME: REV. W. H. CALDWELL (INTERIM), W. F. Snyder, Mrs. Libby Sloan, Mrs. G. L. Michael, Colet Dyer
 WILKESBORO: REV. ALFRED ANDREWS, Mrs. Alfred Andrews, Mrs. Roy Creasman, Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson, Mrs. Lloyd Pardue, Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Couch
 ZION HILL: REV. LAVELLE WATERS, Mrs. Turner Church, I. T. Church, Mrs. B. S. Osborne

THERE WERE 68 REGISTERED VISITORS WITHIN THE ASSOCIATION

REGISTERED VISITORS FROM OUTSIDE ASSOCIATION

Calvin Knight, Baptist Hospital; Rexford R. Campbell, Baptist Children's Homes; Bill Poole, Homes for the Aging; T. R. Mullinax, Baptist State Convention; James Lambert, Regional Supt. of Missions; Mace Johnson, Supt. of Missions, Stone Mountain Assoc.; Earl Adams, pastor Bethel Baptist Church; C. C. Blevins, Maple Grove

TOTAL NUMBER OF REGISTERED MESSENGERS AND VISITORS WAS 264.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE
ONE HUNDRED SECOND ANNUAL SESSION
OF THE
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
held with

FISHING CREEK AND PLEASANT HOME BAPTIST CHURCHES

NOTE: BOR is used in the Proceedings for the Book of Reports.

1. The 102nd Annual Session of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association was called to order by the Moderator, the Reverend J. C. Shaw, Jr., at 7 p. m., on Monday, October 1, 1973 at Fishing Creek Baptist Church. The congregation sang "To God Be the Glory".

2. Rev. Vaughn Brown, pastor, extended a welcome to everyone, read Scripture from Matthew 16:13-20 and Matthew 6:9-13, and led in prayer.

3. The Report of the Committee on Order of Business, page 1 and 2 BOR, was presented by Mrs. Hal Hawkins. The Program was adopted as printed.

4. The Moderator appointed a Nominating Committee - Glenn Byrd, pastor of Cub Creek Church; Mrs. I. V. Couch of Wilkesboro Church; Hunter Church, pastor of New Hope Church; and a Committee on Committees - Alfred Andrews, pastor of Wilkesboro Church; Olin Greene of Lewis Fork Church; John Tugman of Moravian Falls Church; Mrs. W. L. Pitts of Hinshaw Street Church; Carl Walker, pastor of Little Rock Church and Bryce Greene of Pleasant Home Church.

5. I. V. Couch, Supt. of Missions, recognized new pastors in the association this year, ask them to come forward, and extended a welcome to them. Present were: Glenn Ballard, Goshen Church; Roy Foster, Stony Hill Church; Alfred Andrews, Wilkesboro Church; Rex Eldreth, Purler Church, Lavelle Waters, Zion Hill Church; Hunter Church, New Hope Church. He announced that Welcome Home Church had called Carl Elledge as pastor.

6. The Executive Committee Report, page 6, BOR, was given by J. C. Shaw and moved for adoption. He explained the function of the committee and urged each church to send a representative to the meetings. The report was adopted.

7. The Treasurer's Report, page 7 and 8 BOR, was given by Mrs. Albert Holman. The report was adopted as presented.

8. The Finance Committee Report, page 9, BOR, was presented by Raymond Blevins with a move to adopt. The word "Social Security" was changed to read "Benefits" and the report was adopted.

9. A report of the Trustees, page 13, BOR, was given by J. F. Jordon and adopted.

10. The History of Fishing Creek Church, page 10, BOR, was read by J. F. Jordan. The report was moved, seconded and adopted.

11. Paul Shoupe, pastor of Liberty Grove Church, presented the report of the Nominating Committee, page 3, BOR, with a move for adoption. Seconded and passed.

12. The Committee on Committees Report, page 5, BOR, was presented by Ralph Stanley, pastor of Millers Creek Church. Adopted.

13. During the period of Miscellaneous Business, Hunter Church, pastor of New Hope, presented a resolution from the Pastors Conference as follows:

WHEREAS, the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association has in the past year, and is now depending on the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina for a substantial part of the money to finance the mission work of the association, and ,

WHEREAS, the churches of the Brushy Mountain Association are participating in the State Missions gifts, from which the help from the Convention comes, and ,

WHEREAS, this kind of relationship tends to make the Brushy Mountain Association become a State Mission endeavor rather than State Missions being an endeavor of the association, and ,

WHEREAS, the Brushy Mountain Pastors who were present at the Pastors Conference, October 1, 1973, unanimously approved,

THEREFORE, I PRESENT THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION: Be it resolved that the Brushy Mountain Association, Pastors, Deacons, Messengers, and other church officers, promote and work toward a substantial increase in associational gifts in order that our own association may become self-supporting by the year 1974-75.

I. V. Couch presented the Associational Calendar, page 25, BOR. The calendar was adopted as printed.

W. L. Pitts made a motion to change the words "Social Security" to read "Benefits" in the Proposed Budget on page 9, BOR. Motion carried.

14. The congregation sang "Send The Light".

15. Special music by the Fishing Creek Church Choir.

16. The message was brought by I. V. Couch, Supt. of Missions. His Scripture was from Matthew 10:5-10 and I Corinthians 9:9-10 (Living Bible). The theme of his message was the church's financial responsibility to their pastor.

17. The Moderator recessed the meeting until 9 a. m. Tuesday morning at Pleasant Home Church. Refreshments were served by the host church.

SECOND SESSION

18. The second day of the 102nd Annual Meeting of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association was called to order by the Moderator, J. C. Shaw, at 9 a. m., Tuesday, October 2, 1973, at Pleasant Home Baptist Church. The congregation sang "Come Thou Almighty King".

19. A welcome was extended by Gwyn Blackburn, pastor of Pleasant Home. He read from Phillipians 2:1-16 and led in prayer.

20. The History of Pleasant Home Church page 11, BOR, was given by J. F. Jordan. It was adopted as read.

21. The Associational Missions Report, page 12, BOR, was given by Paul Shoupe in the absence of Ralph Stanley. The report was adopted.

22. The State Missions Report, page 22, BOR, was presented by Mrs. Rex Whittington with a move to adopt. Seconded and adopted.

23. The Home Missions Report, page 20, BOR, was given by Mrs. Lloyd Pardue. Adopted.

24. A Report on Foreign Missions, page 21, BOR, was given by Allen Laymon, pastor of N. Wilkesboro First Church. It was moved and seconded. He spoke on increasing Cooperative Program giving. The report was adopted.

25. There was no Sunday School Report.

26. The Church Training Report, page 15, BOR, was given by I. V. Couch for Rena Spicer. Moved and seconded. He spoke on the importance of training in the churches. After a correction in the second paragraph of the report it was adopted.

27. No printed WMU report.

28. Baptist Men's Report, page 14, BOR, presented by I. V. Couch for Ray Shomaker. Moved and adopted.

29. The Vacation Bible School Report, page 13, BOR, was given by I. V. Couch for Glenn Byrd. Moved and adopted.

30. The Music Report, page 21, BOR, was given by Ellihu Sloan, moved and adopted.

31. The Baptist State Convention Representative, Robert Mullinax, spoke on the Cooperative Program, Baptist co-operating, the division of the dollar, and "Together We Advance".

32. During the period of Miscellaneous Business, Phillip Swanson, pastor of Oakwoods Church and Chairman of the Wilkes County Christian Action League, presented for adoption the following resolution on 'Liquor-By-The-Drink':

WHEREAS, the issue of liquor-by-the-drink may be determined by the voters of this State on the 6th day of November, 1973, and ,

WHEREAS, liquor-by-the-drink encourages drinking and driving and in the last three years at least 64% of all highway deaths were related to the consumption of alcohol, and,

WHEREAS, our federal government states that liquor is our No. 1 drug problem, and,

WHEREAS, greater consumption will result in more alcohol related problems, especially the number of alcoholics, and

WHEREAS, the membership of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association are persuaded that the sale of liquor-by-the drink will not promote, but will detract from, the generally wholesome environment of our community, and,

WHEREAS, the membership of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association considers it to be our Christian duty to speak out for what we believe to be in the best interest of our fellowman and our community,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: that the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association opposes the sale of liquor-by-the-drink in the State of North Carolina and will present its opposition to this issue to the voters thereon, and that the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association will oppose the issue of liquor-by-the-drink with its prayers and support.

The resolution was accepted.

The resolution presented by Hunter on Monday was re-read and moved for adoption. I. V. Couch spoke to the report, referred to the Digest of Church Letters to the amount given to associational missions and encouraged an increase in gifts so the association could become self-supporting. The resolution was adopted.

Mrs. Albert Holman, clerk, read the names of "Honor Clerks" and thanked them for a job well done.

J. C. Shaw expressed his appreciation to all the churches for their support during the time he served as Moderator, and his thanks to I. V. Couch as Supt. of Missions, Gwyn Blackburn, Vice-Moderator and to the associational clerk, Mrs. Albert Holman. He extended thanks to Fishing Creek and Pleasant Home Church for hosting the annual meeting.

33. The congregation sang "Am I A Soldier of the Cross"

34. The Children's Homes Report, page 17, BOR, was presented by Mace Johnson and moved for adoption. He introduced Rex Gambill, representative and speaker for the Children's Homes. Report adopted.

35. The Hospital Report, page 16, BOR, was presented for adoption by J. C. Shaw. He introduced the Hospital Representative and speaker, Calvin Knight. Adopted.

36. Homes for the Aging Report, page 17, BOR, presented by Gwyn Blackburn and moved for adoption. He introduced Bill Poole, Representative from Homes for the Aging, as speaker. Adopted.

37. Report on Christian Higher Education, page 16, BOR, was presented for adoption by J. C. Shaw. He recognized Robert Mullinax to speak to the report.

38. J. C. Shaw presented the gavel to Gwyn Blackburn, in-coming Moderator. He extended his thanks to Shaw and accepted the gavel to serve as Moderator the remainder of session.

39. Break (15 minutes)

40. The congregation sang "I Am Thine O Lord".

41. The American Bible Society Report, page 19, BOR, by Joe Crouch was adopted.

42. The Evangelism Report, page 13, BOR, was moved for adoption by E. W. McMurray. Adopted.

43. The General Board Report, page 14, BOR, given by Mrs. I. V. Couch, was adopted.

44. The Stewardship and Cooperative Program Report, page 23, BOR, given by Paul Shoupe, was adopted.

45. Joe Crouch gave the report for Time, Place and Preacher, and it was accepted as stated: Monday Night, October 7, 1974, Wilkesboro Church, Speaker: Rev. Phillip Swanson, Alternate: Rev. James Weaver. Tuesday, October 8, 1974, Lewis Fork Church, Speaker: Rev. Alfred Andrews, Alternate: Rev. Glenn Ballard.

46. The Digest of Church Letters, page 24, BOR, presented by I. V. Couch was adopted.

47. The BIBLICAL RECORDER Report, page 22, BOR, was given by D. E. Elledge and moved for adoption. Mr. Elledge introduced Marse Grant, Editor of BIBLICAL RECORDER who spoke to the report. Adopted.

48. The Baptist Foundation Report, page 18, BOR, moved for adoption by I. V. Couch and passed.

49. The Annuity Board Report, page 19, BOR, was presented by I. V. Couch for N. C. Teague and adopted.

50. The Historical Sketches, page 23, BOR, by Mrs. Albert Holman, Adopted.

51. I. V. Couch spoke for the Resolutions Committee (no written report) and extended thanks to everyone having a part in the annual meeting and in the work of the association.

52. A Memorial Service for deceased members was held by E. W. McMurray and E. E. Sloan.

53. Scripture and Prayer by W. L. Pitts, pastor of Hinshaw Street. He read from Ephesians 5:16-21 and Ephesians 6:20 (text for the sermon)

54. Special Music - Mrs. Glenn Byrd sang "Sweet, Sweet Spirit" accompanied by Ellihu Sloan at the organ.

55. The annual sermon was brought by Carl Walker, pastor of Little Rock Church. His topic was "Being a real Christian - Ambassador's for Christ".

56. Adjournment

57. Lunch was served by the host church.

Our Beloved Dead

BEAVER CREEK: Mr. Earl Wolfe (Deacon), Mr. C. E. Johnson (Deacon), Mr. Floyd Wolfe, Jr., Mr. John Earp
 BOILING SPRINGS: Mr. Boss Walsh, Mr. Thomas Summerlin
 CUB CREEK: Mr. Carl Reavis, Mr. A. A. Oliver, Mr. Layton Joines
 EDGEWOOD: Mr. Winefred Call, Mr. Walter McGuire, Mrs. Grace Jarvis, Mrs. Lois Marlow
 ELK: Mrs. Elsie Morton, Mr. James Pearson
 FISHING CREEK: Mrs. Wintford James, Mrs. Christian Brown Simpson
 GOSHEN: Mrs. Nellie Walker, Miss Janie Walker, Mr. Ernest Lackey
 HARMONY: Mr. Carl Phillips, Mrs. Nellie Shumate
 HINSHAW STREET: Mr. George Alexander (Deacon), Mr. Ernest Porter, Mrs. Frankie Wheeling, Mr. Terry Burke, Mr. Arvil Triplette, Mr. W. E. Snow
 LEWIS FORK: Mr. Spencer Blackburn, Mrs. Nellie Frazier, Mrs. Grace Church, Mrs. Frances Riggs, Mr. Albert Triplett (Deacon), Mr. Silas Church
 LIBERTY GROVE: Mr. J. E. Craven, Mrs. John Caudill, Mr. Ralph Taylor, Mrs. James Stone
 LITTLE ROCK: Mr. Joel Motsinger
 MT. CARMEL: Mrs. Headley
 MT. PLEASANT: Mr. Radford Cardwell, Mr. Roie Elledge, Miss Vertie Cardwell, Mr. Angus Lester Ellis, Mr. Coy Eller, Mrs. Rachel Messick
 MT. ZION: Roxie White, Mr. Leo Eller, Mary Hendrix
 NEW HOPE: Mrs. Sallie Watts, Mr. Cicero Yates, Mrs. Lora Vannoy, Mr. Herbert Church (Deacon)
 N. WILKESBORO FIRST: Miss Lillian Stafford, Mr. Frank Stafford, Mr. James Kilby, Mr. Robert G. Davis, Sr., Mrs. W. F. Jones, Mrs. F. R. Harris, Mr. J. F. Owens, Mrs. J. F. Owens, Mr. David A. Cope, Mrs. O. D. Bentley, Mr. Montro Campbell, Mrs. C. G. Poindexter, Mrs. R. J. Foster, Mrs. Dewey Minton
 OAKWOODS: Mr. Jack Hayes
 PLEASANT GROVE: Mr. Clayton Church
 PLEASANT HOME: Mrs. Lizzie Adams, Mrs. Bessie Martin
 PURLEAR: Mr. T. P. Elledge, Mrs. Arvil Cooper
 ROARING RIVER: Miss Zelle Harris, Mr. Clyde Burchette
 ROCKY CREEK: Mrs. Ruie Minton, Mr. Carl Boggs
 SHADY GROVE: Mrs. Josephine Martin Guay
 WALNUT GROVE: Mr. J. E. Brock, Mr. Fleet Brock, Jr., Mr. Don Joines, Mrs. Lena F. Wiles
 WELCOME HOME: Mr. Bryce Lankford, Rev. George Osborne (Ordained Minister) Mrs. Virgie Triplett, Mrs. Dessie Waddel
 Omitted in 1972: Mr. Leonard Mikeal (Deacon), Mr. Dewey Turner
 WILKESBORO: Mrs. R. V. Jennings, Mr. George S. Parlier
 ZION HILL: Mrs. Thena Montgomery, Rev. Morris Baker (Ordained Minister)

HONOR CLERKS

(Those submitting a COMPLETE Church Letter)

Mr. Jerry Church
 Mrs. Joe Wolfe
 Mr. Garnie Miller
 Brenda Brown
 Mrs. James Harvell
 Miss Christine Eller
 Grace Whittington
 Mrs. Marvin Ashley
 Mr. Chalmer Dyer
 Mr. Jerry Hamby

Calvary
 Elk
 Friendly Grove
 Moravian Falls
 North Wilkesboro First
 Shady Grove
 Stony Hill
 Walnut Grove
 Welcome Home
 Pleasant Grove

HISTORICAL SKETCHES

CALVARY—Built new Sanctuary and ordained Jerry Winkler to the ministry
 ELK—Bookboard donated by Johnny Bishop and Joe Wolfe, 50 chairs purchased
 FISHING CREEK—New church bus; added Library and one additional nursery; paved additional parking lot.
 GOSHEN—Called new pastor, Rev. Glenn Ballard, March 18, 1973; bought land adjoining church property \$4,000
 LEWIS FORK—Purchased Parsonage
 LITTLE ROCK—Sponsored tour to Holy Land for pastor and wife; paved drive around church and to the pastorium
 MT. CARMEL—Ordained Jack Phillips for ministry
 MT. PLEASANT—Started fund to remodel steps at entrance of church
 OAK GROVE—Hobert Jones announced his call to preach.
 ROARING RIVER—New guttering on church and pastorium.
 SHADY GROVE—New roof and steeple, carpet in sanctuary, chairs for pulpit
 STONY HILL—Air-conditioned church.
 WALNUT GROVE—Note burning for parsonage debt; sign erected in front of church, new lamp on brick column
 WILKESBORO—Called Alfred Andrews as pastor May 1, 1973

TREASURER'S REPORT 1972-1973

(October 1, 1972 - August 31, 1973)

CHURCH	MISSION SUPPORT	SPEC. DEBT RETIREMENT	TOTAL RECEIPTS
BEAVER CREEK	\$396.94	\$40.00	\$436.94
BETHANY	396.26		396.26
BOILING SPRINGS	10.00		10.00
CALVARY	0		0
CRICKET	0		0
CUB CREEK	275.00	134.19	409.19
DAVIS MEMORIAL	0	20.35	20.35
EDGEWOOD	75.00	100.00	175.00
ELK	120.00	60.00	180.00
FISHING CREEK	350.00	84.29	434.29
FRIENDLY GROVE	0		0
GORDON*	30.00 *		30.00
GOSHEN	35.00	25.00	60.00
HARMONY	351.85	100.00	451.85
HINSHAW STREET	737.50	73.84	811.34
LEWIS FORK	140.00	110.00	250.00
LIBERTY GROVE	357.50	93.50	451.00
LITTLE ROCK	347.00		347.00
MILLERS CREEK	1093.77	44.80	1138.57
MORAVIAN FALLS	275.00	100.00	375.00
MOUNT CARMEL	44.00	28.50	72.50
MOUNT PLEASANT	297.00	139.81	436.81
MOUNT ZION*	10.00 *		10.00
NEW HOPE	150.00	145.49	295.49
N. WILKESBORO 1ST	2986.68		2986.68
N. WILKESBORO 2ND	60.00	35.00	95.00
OAK GROVE	50.00		50.00
OAKWOODS	360.00	41.85	401.85
PILGRIM	200.00	75.00	275.00
PLEASANT GROVE	0	0	0

PLEASANT HOME	120.00	230.50	350.50
PURLEAR	50.00		50.00
ROARING RIVER	77.00		77.00
ROCKY CREEK	0	0	0
SHADY GROVE	0	22.50	22.50
SHARON WALKER	0	0	0
STONY HILL	0	0	0
WALNUT GROVE	200.00		200.00
WELCOME HOME	310.00		310.00
WILKESBORO	2900.00	180.21	3080.00
ZION HILL	200.00	109.00	309.00
TOTAL	\$13,005.50	\$1,993.83	\$14,999.33
INDIVIDUALS		77.50	77.50
MONEY ON HAND 10-1-72			1,464.68
REC. FROM STATE MISSIONS			1,432.00
TAX REFUND			38.32
ANNUALS (FROM CHURCHES)			833.30
OTHER (Designated)			<u>637.50</u>
GRAND TOTAL RECEIPTS			\$19,482.63

*Gifts were given by individuals but credited to their church

EXPENDITURES 1972-1973

MISSIONARY'S		Parsonage/Office Insurance	275.00
Salary	\$4966.52	Debt Retirement	2000.00
Auto Allowance	1916.59	Annals	610.48
Hospital Ins.	569.00	Clerk	75.00
Life Insurance	138.49	Treasurer	75.00
Retirement	520.08	Treasurer's Expense	48.99
Convention	73.00	Sunday School	0
OFFICE		Church Training	23.46
Help	1262.00	WMU	0
Supplies	694.33	Vacation Bible School	55.44
Utilities	485.19	Brotherhood	8.71
Upkeep	72.21	Music	0
PARSONAGE		Miscellaneous	0
Utilities	862.50	Other (Designated)	766.83
Upkeep	81.85	Special Debt Retirement	<u>2071.33</u>
		Total Expenditures	17,652.00
		Balance August 31, 1973	1,830.63

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Albert Holman, Treasurer

PROPOSED BUDGET 1973-1974

ANTICIPATED INCOME	
From Churches	\$14,992.00
Annual Fund	835.00
State Missions	<u>1,080.00</u>
TOTAL ANTICIPATED INCOME	\$16,907.00
ANTICIPATED EXPENDITURES	
Missionary's Salary	\$5,200.00
Missionary's Retirement Benefits	520.00
Missionary's Automobile Allowance	2,000.00

Missionary's Hospital Insurance	627.00
Missionary's Life Insurance	180.00
Missionary's Annuity	520.00
Debt Retirement	1,550.00
Office Supplies	850.00
Office Help	1,800.00
Office Utilities	560.00
Office Upkeep	300.00
Parsonage Utilities	900.00
Parsonage and Office Insurance	275.00
Parsonage Upkeep	100.00
Annuals	675.00
Convention and Conferences	400.00
Associational Clerk	75.00
Associational Treasurer	75.00
Organization Promotions	250.00
Miscellaneous	50.00
TOTAL ANTICIPATED EXPENDITURES	<u>\$16,907.00</u>

Respectfully submitted,
Mr. Raymond Blevins
Mr. Ivery Haynes
Rev. Vaughn Brown
Mr. Curtis Greene
Rev. R. A. Call

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

The Executive Committee of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association met for three regular meetings and one special meeting. Not having a quorum for the May meeting.

In the November meeting the Committee approved an application for state aid for the sum of \$2,500. Also approved an application to State Missions for assistance to Northside Chapel in the amount of \$1,200.

The February meeting was held on the 12th, with twenty (20) members present representing 12 churches. The treasurer was given authority to write a check for \$100 to cover the additional insurance premium on the association's property.

On March 25, a special meeting was called by the moderator for the purpose of recommending someone to serve on the General Board of the State Baptist Convention. Rev. Ralph Stanley nominated Mrs. Mabel Couch to serve. This nomination was approved. The following recommendations were made for persons to serve on boards of other agencies:

Wake Forest	Rev. Gwyn Blackburn
Baptist Foundation	J. F. Jordan
Children's Homes	Rev. J. C. Shaw
Hospital	Dr. Hal Hawkins
Homes for Aging	Rev. Joe Crouch
BIBLICAL RECORDER.....	Rev. Frank Walker
Gardner-Webb.....	Pete Lovette
Wingate	Rev. I. V. Couch

The August meeting was held on the 6th with seventeen (17) members present. A motion was made to tear down part of the old barn on the associational property and build a tool shed from the materials. Brother Couch will work with the Properties Committee in doing this. The Reverend Paul Shoupe presented a report from the Nominating Committee making a motion to elect the following:

WMU Director.....	Mrs. Robert Foster
Sunday School Dir	Bryce Greene
Brotherhood	Ray Shomaker
Music	E. E. Sloan
Church Training.....	Mabel Couch

Motion carried.

Article V, Section 3 of the Constitution provides for each church to be represented on the Executive Promotion Committee. Each church should be represented by the pastor and one elected member from each church.

Please let me encourage each church to elect a person and be represented at these meetings.

Respectfully submitted,
J. C. Shaw, Moderator

A BRIEF HISTORY OF FISHING CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH

Whereas the history of this church was written in 1956 and recorded in the associational minutes on pages 34-38 of that year, and a second sketch of history on pages 68-70 of the 1964, further reference to those periods will not be mentioned.

January 10, 1965 was the beginning of a Bible Study Course taught by Rev. Paul Shoupe, pastor of Liberty Grove Baptist Church. Spring revival began on April 11, 1965 with Rev. Paul Shoupe as visiting minister. There were eight additions to the church.

On Sunday, June 6, 1965, the Associational Council met at 2:30 p. m. and examined Hugh Hayes regarding his call to the ministry. On the evening of June 13, an ordination service was held to ordain Brother Hayes. Rev. Dean Dillard brought the charge. Rev. Vaughn Brown brought the charge to the candidate. This was followed by the laying on of hands and the ordination prayer by Clyde Church. Rev. John Wright presented the Bible and Certificate of Ordination. The local and visiting deacons took part in the laying on of hands.

July 4, Betty S. Pardue and her children presented a Hammond Electric Organ to the church in honor of her late husband and their father, James Pardue.

On July 10, 1966, Don Parker, Don Johnson, Bill Settle and Phil Carlton were ordained as deacons. Rev. Clate Brown preached the ordination sermon, with Hunter Church and Hugh Hayes assisting in the ordination service. Several deacons from neighboring churches assisted.

Homecoming was held on August 14 with Rev. B. H. Myers bringing the message. This was followed by a revival in which 14 were baptized.

At the August meeting the church voted to give the deacons authority to purchase a Volkswagon bus at a price of \$1275.

Improvements in 1968: grading parking lot and clearing additional land for a cemetery at a cost of \$941, new door on auditorium for \$150, painting the church building \$950. In 1969, the parking area was paved for \$850 and 1970 new pews installed in the sanctuary.

The evening of June 16, 1968, Dewey Foster was ordained as a Baptist Minister.

Rev. Clyde Church tendered his resignation effective the third Sunday in December, 1971. On Sunday, December 26, 1971, Rev. Dean Dillard was elected as pastor. Rev. Dillard resigned on May 14, 1972, but stated he would stay on until another pastor could be elected.

Sunday, May 21, 1972, a vote was taken for Vaughn Brown as pastor. The vote was unanimous and Rev. Brown assumed his duties the first Sunday in August.

August 1972, marked the 150th year of Fishing Creek Baptist Church. After the worship service, a homecoming meal was served on the grounds. In the afternoon a special program was carried out. All living former pastors of the church were present to speak. Several lay members spoke and singing was furnished by the Johnson family.

Respectfully submitted,
J. F. Jordan

A BRIEF HISTORY OF PLEASANT HOME BAPTIST CHURCH

Whereas the history of this church was written in 1954 and is recorded in the associational minutes on pages 18 to 22 of that year and a short history recorded on pages 55 to 58 of the year 1967, no further reference to those periods will be mentioned.

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In August, 1967, Rev. M. W. Shaw was called as pastor. He declined the call because he didn't feel it was God's will he accept. In September the board of deacons recommended Rev. L. E. Myers for pastor. He also declined to accept the call.

In October, the following persons were elected as a pulpit committee: Norris McGlamery, James Foster, Rex Reeves, Lillian Walker, Lewis Broyhill and Grace Dean Reeves. The pulpit committee recommended Rev. David Creech as pastor. A standing vote carried favorably but Rev. Creech also did not feel God was leading him to this field.

At the January meeting a motion was passed to purchase sixteen storm windows for the basement at a price of \$224 and they were to be installed by Joe Faw.

At the February meeting, 1968, Rex Reeves, chairman of the pulpit committee, recommended as pastor, Rev. Gwyn Blackburn. His salary to be one hundred dollars per week, plus housing and utilities and the cost of moving here. The vote was unanimous in favor of this. Rev. Charlie Myers tendered his resignation as interim pastor effective March 3. The church wrote him a letter of appreciation, with a love offering, and accepted his resignation.

In June, a motion was made and carried to resurface the parking lot with tar and gravel at a price of \$1519 and in October a motion was passed to air-condition the church at a price of \$3,927.

At the July meeting, 1971, Brother Gary McNeill, requested that he be licensed as a Baptist minister. A motion was made, seconded, and carried favorably.

In July, 1972, the deacon board recommended Paul Rash, Hoyle Reeves and Archie Nichols be elected as deacons and that they be ordained the first Sunday night in August. Motion carried. At the Ordination the charge was given by Rev. W. L. Pitts and Rev. I. V. Couch assisted in the laying on of hands.

The present membership of this church is 375, Sunday School enrolment, 200, Church Training 40, Brotherhood 18, and the W. M. U. has 10 members.

Respectfully submitted,
J. F. Jordan, Historian

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

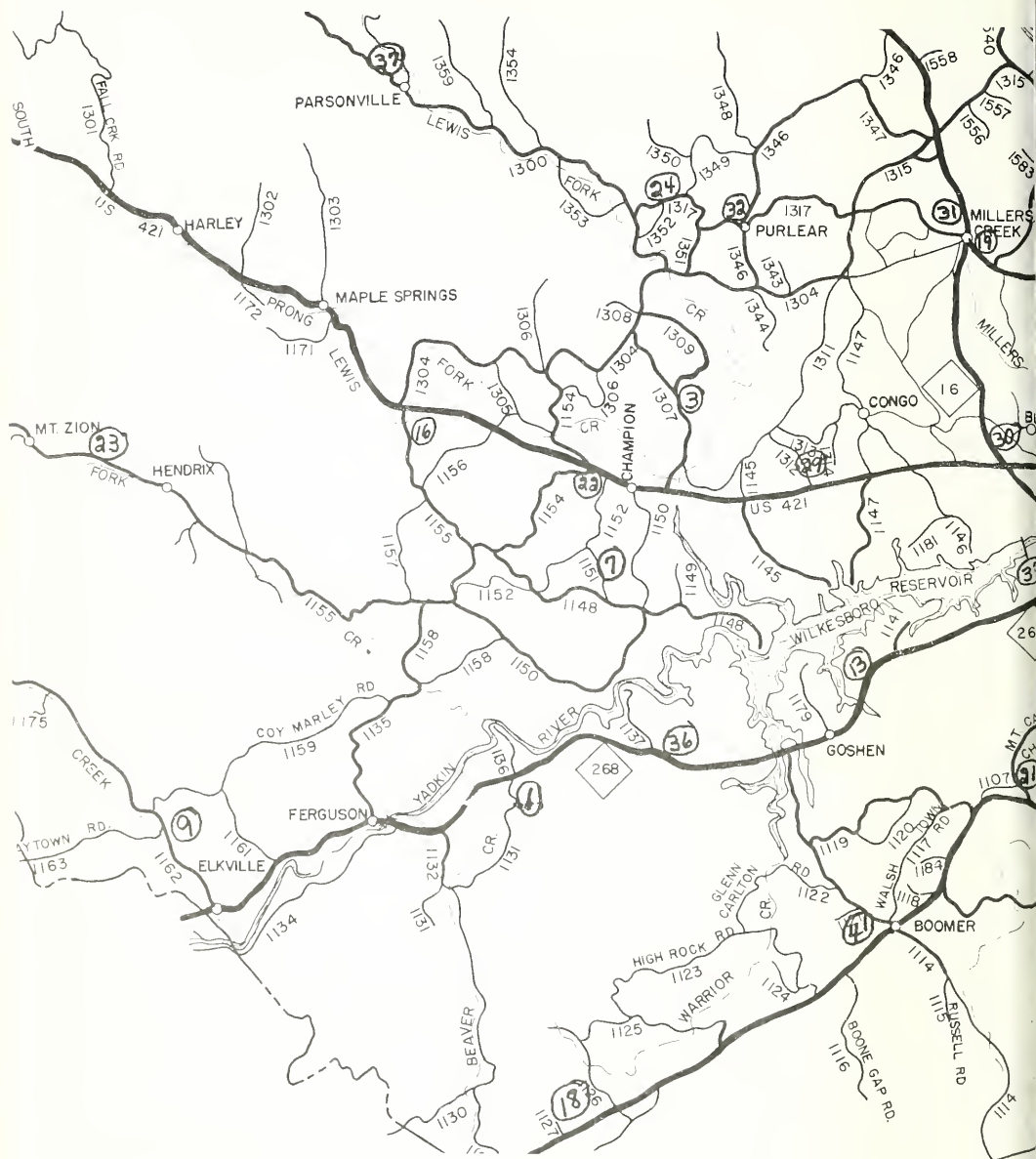
We, the Mission Committee, take great pride in presenting our report.

We are grateful to God for allowing us to have such a committed man as Rev. I. V. Couch to serve as our Superintendent of Missions.

Believing that cooperation of churches through the association was important for the development of the churches and the spread of the gospel to the ends of the earth, several years ago our association began correlating its work through a Superintendent of Missions. For the past three years this work has been under the direction of Rev. I. V. couch assisted by Mrs. Albert Holman, office secretary.

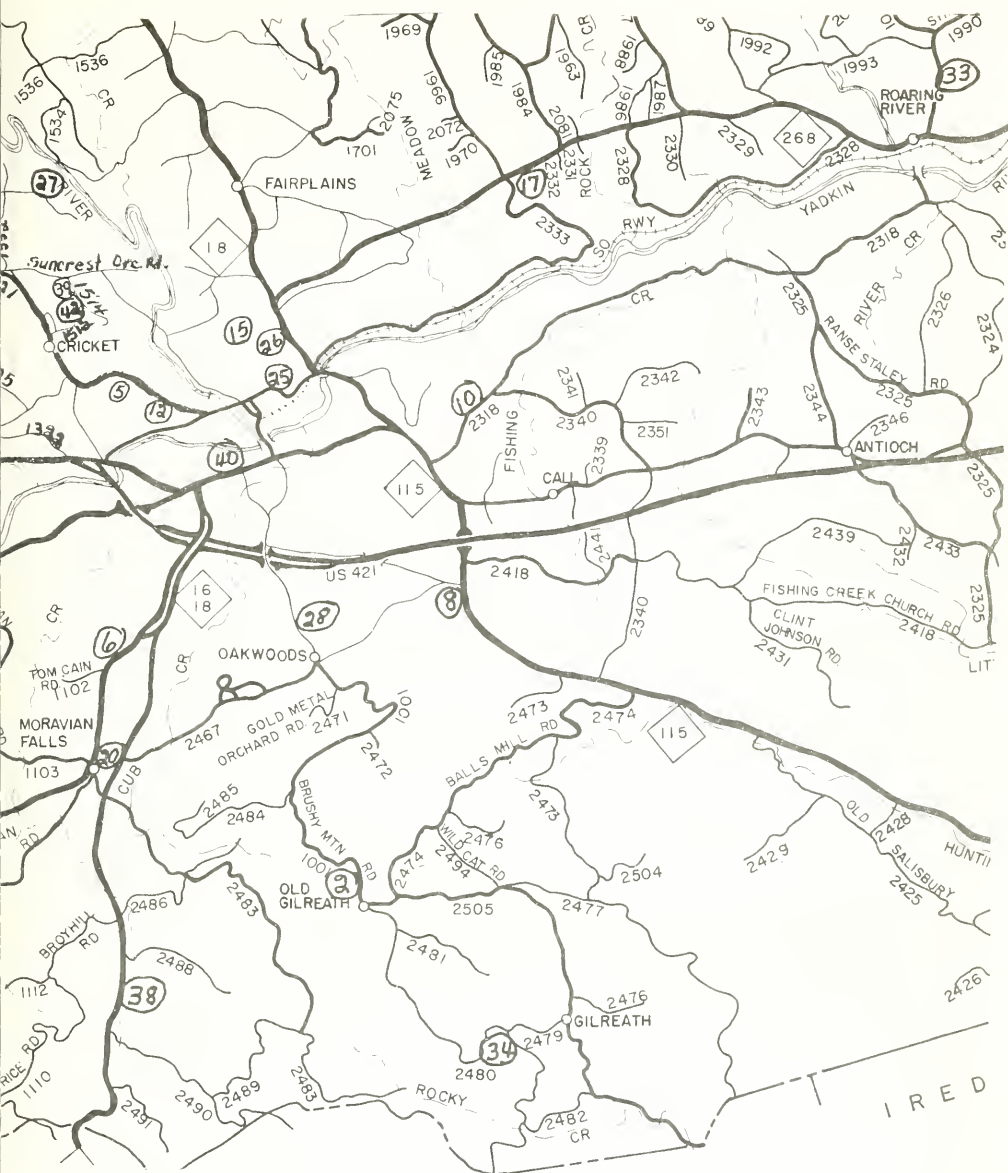
It would be unreal to expect all the activities of the Superintendent of Missions to be written in this brief report. However, the list below will indicate the nature of his work for the past year.

Messages in churches	37	Committee Meetings	8
Revivals		Planning Meetings	12
First Baptist, Blacksburg, S. C.			
New Damascus, (Black) N. Wilkesboro		Missions Committee	4
Mt. Pleasant, J. C. Shaw, Pastor		Executive Committee	4
Mission Studies Taught	4		
Bible Studies Taught	3	Individual Conferences	20
Wilkesboro	sessions 10	Group Conferences	4
Millers Creek	sessions 4		
Fishing Creek	sessions 4	Meetings outside association:	
		Baptist State Convention	1
Spoke on Missions in Sunday School	11	Camp Caraway	3
Promoted VBS	5	Supt. of Missions Conf.	1
Churches visited	34	Corinth Church, Forest City	2
		N. C. Baptist Assembly	



CODE CHURCH

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|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| 1 Beaver Creek | 8 Edgewood | 15 Hinshaw Street |
| 2 Bethany | 9 Elk | 16 Lewis Fork |
| 3 Boiling Springs | 10 Fishing Creek | 17 Liberty Grove |
| 4 Calvary | 11 Friendly Grove | 18 Little Rock |
| 5 Cricket | 12 Gordon | 19 Millers Creek |
| 6 Cub Creek | 13 Goshen | 20 Moravian Falls |
| 7 Davis Memorial | 14 Harmony | 21 Mt. Carmel |



Mt. Pleasant
 Mt. Zion
 New Hope
 N. Wilkesboro First
 N. Wilkesboro Second
 Oak Grove
 Oakwoods

29 Pilgrim
 30 Pleasant Grove
 31 Pleasant Home
 32 Purlar
 33 Roaring River
 34 Rocky Creek
 35 Shady Grove

36 Sharon Walker
 37 Stony Hill
 38 Walnut Grove
 39 Welcome Home
 40 Wilkesboro
 41 Zion Hill
 42 Assoc. Office

VBS Workshop and Clinics	3	Church Tr. (taught adults)	1
Funerals attended	6	World Missions Conf.	1
Funerals conducted	1	Ashe Association	1
		Haywood Association	1
Taught School of Christian Studies		Radio Programs	
	sessions 9	Morning Devotions	12
Literacy Workshop	sessions 4	Brushy Mountain Bap. Assoc.	
		Newscast	51
Ordination Services	2		
Met with Pulpit Committees	2	SUMMARY	
Work with Walnut Grove:		Meetings in churches	157
Messages	14	Associational meetings	21
Helped in revival	6	The Missionary attended services in	
VBS Planning	3	40 churches in the association	
VBS Directed	1	Worked with the other one in church	
Pulpit Committee	2	planning.	
Prayer Meeting	1		
Special Conferences	5	Meetings outside association	9
Planning Meetings	2	Individual Conferences	20
Hospital Visits	26	Radio Programs	63

Miles Traveled . . . 13,276---Brushy Mtn. Herald mailed . . . 5,220

Respectfully submitted,
Ralph Stanley, Chm. Missions Committee

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

In January, the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association sent nine (9) workers to Wingate College to study the 1973 VBS materials and teaching methods. They in turn showed the materials to pastors and VBS Directors at a workshop conducted at Millers Creek Church, February 19, with 56 present and 23 churches represented.

On May 8, the annual VBS Clinic was held at North Wilkesboro First Baptist Church with 130 present representing 26 churches.

Respectfully submitted,
Glenn Byrd

EVANGELISM REPORT

"Sharing Christ Now" was the theme of the 27th Statewide Evangelism Conference at Ovens Auditorium, Charlotte - February 5-7, 1973. Over 2,400 pastors and lay persons were challenged by outstanding speakers to lead their people to become more involved in the work of evangelism. The closing session, Wednesday, at Pritchard Memorial Church, was an emphasis on prayer and personal renewal.

The Division of Evangelism has encouraged churches to participate in KEY 73. One hundred and fifty denominations are sharing in this evangelistic effort. The purpose of KEY 73 is to unite all Christians in the task of evangelism and to enable Christians to confront every person in the United States and Canada with the Gospel of Christ. Remember to pray for the TOGETHER WE ADVANCE emphasis that we may strive to attain a 10% increase in baptisms, C. P. gifts, Bible Study enrolment and associational missions gifts.

More than 12,500 young people attended the 3rd Statewide Youth Evangelism Night at Greensboro Coliseum on August 17. 285 decisions were recorded including 48 professions of faith.

It is thrilling what the Holy Spirit is doing through the ministry of our first summer youth

evangelism team. Three college students - Steve Stout, Cooleemee: Terry Crouse, Lenoir, and Christy Farrior, Williamston, are leading in music, preaching in youth revivals, and directing youth witness training sessions in churches from Marshall to Washington. During June 11-15 over 730 youth and adults were present for the Youth Ministries Week at the N. C. Baptist Assembly, with the emphasis on Evangelism, Vocational Guidance and Recreation. Eighty-one youth made various decisions, including sixteen professions of faith.

Respectfully submitted,
E. W. McMurray

TRUSTEES REPORT

The trustees beg leave to make the following report on the associational parsonage, office and land purchased on October 1955 as follows: Quality Builders Supply Co., \$19.85: B and R Sheet Metal Co., \$12.00: Orkin Ext. Co., \$25.00.

Respectfully submitted,
J. F. Jordan
Hal Hawkins
W. K. Sturdivant

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

The Brushy Mountain Association Brotherhood suffered a great loss in the moving of Rev. Robert Wainwright who was serving as our R. A. Director. He did not leave a report of his work, but I know that he worked with the Superintendent of Missions in the Boys and Girls Day Camp.

As your Brotherhood Director, I attended the following Brotherhood and R. A. Workshops. The first one was at the Dodge House Restaurant and the second one at First Baptist Church, North Wilkesboro. The workshops gave me a deeper understanding of the Brotherhood work for the local church.

We have had two churches to organize Brotherhoods in the past year - Mt. Pleasant and Pleasant Home. It was my privilege to take part in organizing of the one at Pleasant Home.

It is a joy and privilege to serve as your Brotherhood Director and I stand ready to help you in any way I can in your Brotherhood work.

Respectfully submitted,
Ray Shomaker

GENERAL BOARD REPORT

The General Board of the North Carolina Baptist Convention, which carries on the work of the convention between annual sessions, usually meets three times a year. The responsibilities of the board are delegated to committees, some of which are Missions, Evangelism, Social Services and Church Programs. (Your Brushy Mountain representative served as secretary to the Church Programs Committee the past year.

At the January meeting in Raleigh the committees elected their chairmen which, along with five members-at-large and the General Board officers, make up the Executive Committee. Also associational and church requests for financial assistance were approved and granted. Granted to Brushy Mountain Association this year was \$1,620.00.

In June on the Wake Forest University Campus details for the proposed Convention Conference Center were presented and discussed. Committees gave reports, as they do at all meetings, and projected future plans and schedules of activities. Dr. Charles Petty, Director of the Division of Christian Life and Public Affairs, indicated the type of work he hopes to do in our state centering around social ministry, social action and social concern which will include working this fall to help defeat the liquor-by-the-drink state-wide referendum.

The next meeting will be October at Mundo Vista.

Reports of all General Board meetings are printed in the Biblical Recorder to be read by any-

one who desires to do so. All General Board meetings are open meetings and those desiring to do so may sit in on the meetings.

As your representative, I appreciate the opportunity of representing the Brushy Mountain Association.

Respectfully submitted
Mrs. I. V. Couch

CHURCH TRAINING REPORT

Mr. Gwyn Church of the Oakwoods Baptist Church presided as the Church served as host to "M" Night, Nov. 20, 1972. With 161 participating, a very inspiring theme, "Train to Share His Word," was presented. A spoken Bible based meditation by Mrs. I. V. Couch as Mrs. James Harvel rendered the same theme on her "musical saw" began our worship.

Rev. E. W. McMurray challenged churches to conduct a special week on Baptist doctrine during the year. Mrs. Couch encouraged all to use God given talents in the Spring Church Festival of the Arts. Rev. Paul Shoupe gave a preview of three courses to be taught at Wilkesboro Church as seminary extension studies and will begin in February for eleven weeks.

Wilkesboro Baptist Choir under the direction of Mrs. Delbert Goodnow, brought special messages in song. Miss Denell Reins, Oakwoods youth action leader read God's Word prior to the Oakwoods pastor, Rev. Phillip Swanson bringing an inspirational message urging "win the lost and train those saved to witness."

Mr. Wayne Phillips, C. T. Secretary, reported Edgewood Baptist Church having the largest number present with 79. Nursery was provided by Mrs. Steve Steele and Mrs. Gwyn Church.

The Brushy Mountain Baptist Festival of the Arts was held at Wilkesboro Church under our associational arts director, Mrs. I. V. Couch. Quoting from the "Brushy Mt. Herald" Mr. Couch writes; "The March 26, Festival of the Arts was indeed a success! Most any business would consider a 400 per cent increase in participation something about which to boast. Last year three churches participated in the festival. The interest was such that twelve churches participated this year with approximately 130 articles on display. It is hoped that at least half of the churches will participate next year." We deeply appreciate all of your efforts in participating and especially thank Mrs. Couch for her work. A highlight of the program was a reading of the "Story of Creation" written by Mrs. Robert Foster and presented by she and three other of her sisters. The State Festival of the Arts was held in Statesville, First Baptist, Sept. 21-22 with drama as the emphasis.

May I take this means of deeply expressing my appreciation to all of you who helped to make my task as associational C. T. Director meaningful? May I also urge you who have no C. T. program and those who do to put forth greater efforts for an effective growing program under the direction of our new associational C. T. Director: Mrs. I. V. Couch?

Respectfully submitted,
Rena Spicer
C. T. Director '72-73'

BAPTIST HOSPITAL REPORT

In May of this year Baptist Hospital observed its 50th Anniversary. The hospital opened its doors in May of 1923 "to bring the healing art more definitely under the dominion of the Great Healer."

The anniversary was celebrated jointly with the dedication of the new Reynolds Tower, a 16 story patient care facility. The completion of the Tower brings the total bed capacity to 655, placing Baptist Hospital within the top 10 per cent (in size) among hospitals in the United States. When the renovation of older sections of the hospital is completed the total number of beds will be 717.

Construction has begun on an ambulatory care building which will house the emergency room, several outpatient clinics, the Physical Therapy Department, and an Oncology (Cancer) Clinic and Research Laboratories. This building and the above mentioned renovation will complete the present Medical Center Development Program.

The hospital's financial operation is "in the black", and there has not been a general room rate increase in 2 1/2 years. The hospital continues to provide care for people who cannot pay, valued at far in excess of the total Mother's Day Offering. The auditors' confirmed value of this care in 1972 was \$1,390,000—nearly four times the amount of the Mother's Day Offering—and this does not include the value of physicians' service, provided without cost to these service patients. As of this date, the Mother's Day Offerings are running ahead of last year.

Respectfully submitted,
Jack Boston

CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION REPORT

In North Carolina, Baptist churches and Baptist colleges enjoy a supportive partnership. It is still true that most of our pastors, missionaries, church staff members and denominational leaders are educated in Baptist colleges. Another outstanding example of church-college cooperation is the Baptist Youth Corps, which provided dedicated student leadership for more than eighty N. C. Baptist churches during the summer of 1973. On campus, the college presidents interpret to the faculty and staff that our churches and colleges play important, complimentary roles in the Christian missionary interprise.

Your Baptist colleges are grateful for the support which comes through the cooperative Program. During 1973, more than two million dollars will be given to support Christian Higher Education. Your colleges share this support as follows: Campbell College, \$340,721; Chowan College \$212,951; Gardner-Webb College \$249,153; Mars Hill College \$296,002; Meredith College \$296,002; Wake Forest University \$517,471; Wingate College \$217,210. Total \$2,129,510.

The colleges make a special effort to recruit N. C. Baptist students. No qualified student is turned down in any of our colleges because of inability to pay. The churches help to make this possible through the Cooperative Program and the Baptist College Scholarship Offering on Father's Day. Churches can help their students and their colleges by encouraging interested young people to apply for enrollment in one of the seven North Carolina Baptist Colleges.

The Council on Christian Higher Education of the Baptist State Convention is eager to assist both the churches and the colleges as together they help to create persons and a world as Christ would have them.

Respectfully submitted,
Cecil Lee Porter

HOMES FOR THE AGING REPORT

One of the most meaningful things you do as a Baptist is the share you have in the ministry of your North Carolina Baptist Homes for the Aging. As you look back upon the 22 years of this ministry, and the last one in particular, there are distinctive blessings that we would like to call your attention to.

There is no greater realization that we can have than the awareness of the fact that this ministry has always been a venture of faith in God. We hope it always will be. God has brought us from one home to five homes, two in Winston-Salem, one each in Albemarle, Hamilton and Yanceyville. There is a nursing care unit in Winston-Salem for our residents when nursing care is needed. Four out of five of these older people have a limited income. This truly is a venture of faith.

This is your ministry and this ministry would not be possible without your gifts. Last year you contributed \$185 per month for the majority of these older people in your five Baptist homes. Through the Special Offering you gave 20% of the total income of the Homes. Through the Cooperative Program you gave 10% of the total budget needed. This is the tie that binds this ministry to the hearts of our Baptist people in a very special and distinctive way.

Be glad that your love gifts make possible quality care. It has been said that there is no finer care that an older person can receive this side of Heaven than the care given in these five Baptist Homes. Everything we do is for Christ and we are certainly trying to give Him our best each day in our ministry to these older people committed to our care.

God bless you for your concern. Continue to pray and support this ministry as liberally and loyally as you have done in the past.

Respectfully submitted,
Gwyn Blackburn

CHILDREN'S HOMES REPORT

Christian child care is a creative opportunity. The Baptist Children's Home of North Carolina is committed to quality care which nurtures the whole person, physically, mentally, emotionally, and spiritually. It is our hope that each child in our care will have the opportunity to develop the full potential which is his by God's creation.

This has been a year of development and constructive change for the Homes. The entire agency has voluntarily met the minimum standards for child caring agencies and has been licensed by the State of North Carolina for all of our services to children and their families.

Each of the three administrative areas has realized significant growth. In the Western Area, two additional cottages have been completed and occupied at Broyhill Home and construction has begun on the administration building and the recreation building. The Maternity Home continues to operate at or near capacity in its service to unwed mothers. In the Eastern Area, a new cottage is being built at Kennedy Home and the foster care program has been enlarged.

In the Piedmont Area three developments deserve special attention. (1) Mills Home has a new administrative organization. The twenty cottages have been divided into four units of five each, and each unit will have a unit director, two social workers, and the cottage personnel. These smaller units will provide closer working relationships between staff members, between staff and children, and between staff and families. (2) Wall Home at Wallburg has been reopened to provide for a group of boys, utilizing the special skills of the houseparents in an outdoor adventure program. (3) We are negotiating with Baptists in Alamance and Mecklenburg counties for the establishment of emergency care units. These units will be joint ventures between the Homes and the local supporters, with the local group providing the buildings and the Homes operating the program of care.

Three pressing needs are laid on the hearts of Baptists who are concerned for our ministry of Christian child care. (1) We need many families who will open their homes to accept foster children. Any family interested in exploring this Christian service to children should write or call the nearest office of the Baptist Children's Homes. (2) The increase in the cost of food, clothing, supplies and services makes the Cooperative Program and the Thanksgiving Offering all the more important to our continuing services. We need significant increases in both to meet rising costs. (3) Several old cottages remain which need to be replaced with new cottages better suited to present patterns of child care. The development staff welcomes the opportunity to counsel any person regarding his lasting investment in Christian child care.

Respectfully submitted,
Mace Johnson

BAPTIST FOUNDATION REPORT

The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc. is a charitable corporation, chartered under the laws of the State of North Carolina by the Baptist State Convention in 1920. The Foundation, as an agency of the Convention, encourages, receives, and manages gifts and bequests for benefit of all Baptist institutions, agencies, and causes fostered and supported by the N. C. and Southern Baptist Conventions. The Foundation is not a competitive agency, but a service agency dedicated to the task of undergirding all Baptist work. It encourages the donor to use the local church as a channel for directing the income from Foundation trusts to the benefiting cause. The operating expense of the Foundation is received from the Cooperative Program of the Convention.

The Foundation provides a means for establishing trusts to benefit these Christian causes as well as providing an opportunity for perpetual stewardship witness. Through gifts of property, cash, or securities during lifetime, donors and/or other beneficiaries can receive annuities from the Foundation during their lifetime, and can also receive certain tax benefits provided for such gifts.

For information relative to establishment of a trust fund through a gift or a bequest or for details regarding a gift annuity, life income agreements, or charitable remainder trusts, please contact The North Carolina Baptist Foundation Inc., P. O. Box 26508, Raleigh, N. C. 27611 or telephone 919-833-1605.

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY REPORT

The American Bible Society is a non-profit organization founded in 1816 to translate, publish and distribute the Scriptures, without doctrinal note or comment, to people everywhere in languages they can easily understand and at prices they can afford.

In the United States the American Bible Society translates, publishes and distributes the Scriptures directly and in cooperation with other organizations. Internationally it works through the United Bible Societies, a fellowship of 55 National Bible Societies serving more than 150 countries and territories.

Since its founding in 1816 the Society has pioneered in publishing Scriptures for special needs; to use in park ministries, inner city areas, hospitals, institutions and for the blind.

More than 218 million Scriptures distributed in 1972 for the first time in the history of the United Bible Societies. Gifts contributed by faithful supporters of the American Bible Society made possible the distribution of 163,624,325 of these Scriptures. More than 121 million of the total were distributed in the U. S.

This was made possible by the very large number of supporters who gave over 1.6 million individual gifts to the American Bible Society in 1972, and 70 denominations, churches and agencies who also contributes to the cause.

"Let the Word Speak" is the theme of Bible Society work this year. The powerful Word of God still speaks. The American Bible Society depends entirely upon concerned churches and individuals who have a vision to help meet this great need.

Respectfully submitted,
Joe B. Crouch

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

The Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention this year added new benefits or increased benefits for most active and retired pastors, church staff members, and denominational workers it serves. For annuitants on the roll December 31, 1972, monthly income checks have been permanently increased by 6% . Just before Christmas 1972, more than 7,000 annuitants received "13th checks" amounting to the size of two extra months benefits. The "13th checks" are paid in addition to the regular monthly payments.

Participants in plans A-10, A-11 and A-25 on January 1, 1973 had their accrued credits increased by 10% in "good experience credit", and Plan B participants received an additional interest credit based on the Board's good experience on its investments. In addition, the Board approved (subject to action by state convention) an increase in widow benefits under Plan A to 50% of the potential or actual retirement benefit. Previously it was 40% . This increase applies to those retiring January 1, 1973 and thereafter. At the same time, a temporary income benefit under Plan A was established for a widow, child, or dependent parent of those who die before early or normal retirement, or after disability retirement, and who have met the required participation. The temporary income benefit can amount, at maximum, to \$333.33 per month for 36 months (or a total of \$12,000) if the participant died before age 40. The length of payment of the benefit decreases with the age at death. This benefit is payable to those who died January 1, 1973 or thereafter. More than 9,000 insurance policyholders transferred from the previous Health Benefit Plan with Blue Cross-Blue Shield to the new plan began January 1, 1973 with Aetna Life Insurance Company.

The Board reported several records for its operations in 1972. Funds held in trust for over 38,000 participants in retirement plans passed \$300 million for the first time. Investment income reached a new high for 1972 of more than \$22 million. Retirement and other protection benefits paid out for the 12 month period surpassed \$10 million for the first time. Total benefits paid amounted to \$10,644,924 (\$593,134 more than last year). The total amount of money paid in "13th checks" exceeded one million dollars, also for the first time. Good investment results in 1972 on funds held to pay benefits account for this dividend. Income from premiums and dues topped \$30 million, another record.

As of June 1, 1973, in the Brushy Mountain Association 22 churches and the association were participating in the Retirement Program. Information on the Annuity Board opportunities may be secured by writing Development Office, Annuity Board, Southern Baptist Convention, 511 North Akard Building, Dallas, Texas 75201.

Respectfully submitted,
N. C. Teague

HOME MISSION REPORT

An effective, well-trained mission force, for the most part supported and supervised in cooperation with the state mission boards, serves in all fifty states, Panama and Puerto Rico. For the third year this force remained at 2,200, not because of a lack of volunteers, but because inflation cut away at the agency's ability to finance a larger number. More than 150 qualified workers have contacted the Board for appointment, but funds are not available.

The national turn to meet deep spiritual needs, coupled with the emphasis upon lay training, new methods in witnessing, and a turning outward to go where the people are enabled Southern Baptists to baptize 23,000 more persons than at any time in history. The Division of Evangelism during the year has strengthened its ministry on the campus, in outreach to high school young people, and in establishing a life-style evangelism through renewal evangelism.

More than 1,000 churches received counseling from personnel of the Division of Church Loans which processed during the year loans to 237 churches for more than \$9.4 million. In addition, about 100 churches were aided in securing loans from other institutions, and the division implemented the special loan fund for Negro and other ethnic churches. Loans were made to 10 black churches for a total of \$250,000 and 50 additional applications are on hold.

A national convocation on associations, planned in cooperation with the Sunday School Board and other agencies, will be sponsored by the Home Mission Board's Division of Associational Services in 1974. In 1973 the rural-urban missions program and other denominational groups held the Small Church Conference at Ridgecrest, pointing to the denomination's renewed interest in the needs of the small churches—all 22,000 of them.

Fifteen mission action workshops were conducted by the Dept. of Christian Social Ministries for WMU throughout the nation. Similar type workshops are planned for the Brotherhood.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Lloyd Pardue

FOREIGN MISSION REPORT

Twenty-five years ago at the meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention in Memphis, Tennessee, a call to advance was set before the Convention by the Foreign Mission Board. At that point there were only 625 missionaries under appointment for service in 19 countries, with assistance in one form or another being given to 6 other countries; this made a total of 25 lands into which some mission effort was extended. The terrible sufferings of World War II had caused Southern Baptist to become keenly aware of the urgent need for a more extensive witness in the name of Christ throughout the world.

Southern Baptists responded to the call for advance. This response has been expressed through prayer, life commitment, and giving. A steady stream of missionaries has gone forth in ever-widening directions, so that now more than 2,500 are serving in 77 countries.

Support for missions has come in two main streams. The Cooperative Program has provided the basic support which makes planning possible. In 1948 the Cooperative Program brought to the Foreign Mission Board 42.41 percent of all gifts received by the Board. In 1972 the Cooperative Program brought to the Foreign Mission Board 43.04 percent of all gifts received. The Lottie Moon Christmas Offering supplements gifts through the Cooperative Program and enables twice as much work to be done as would be possible without this love gift.

Gifts made by Baptists in the churches in 1972 totaled \$1,023,146,829 but gifts received by the Foreign Mission Board through the Cooperative Program, the Lottie Moon Offering, and special designated gifts combined reached a total of \$35,439,514—less than 4 cents of each

Baptist dollar. This means that Southern Baptist utilized more than 96 cents of each Baptist dollar in our own country and less than 4 cents to share the gospel of Jesus with the rest of the world.

With all the money brought to the Foreign Mission Board, we never are able to respond to all the requests that are officially presented to the Board by the mission organizations in 77 countries. Each year, needs totalling between \$4 million and \$7 million must be left unmet.

The time will soon be at hand when churches will be preparing their budgets for next year. It is hoped that this review of finances for foreign missions will encourage many churches to increase the amount in their budgets for the Cooperative Program, thereby strengthening all that is done in mission work, both at home and throughout the world.

Respectfully submitted,
Allen Laymon

MUSIC REPORT

The Associational Music Director has assisted several of the directors in the local churches with the music programs of their churches.

Under his leadership a choir was formed for the purpose of furnishing special music at the one night Sunday School Revival held in the Wilkesboro Church in March of this year. He also is in charge of the music for the annual meetings of the association.

Respectfully submitted,
E. E. Sloan

BIBLICAL RECORDER REPORT

This has been another good year for the BIBLICAL RECORDER, thanks to your support and confidence. In May, circulation passed the 100,000 mark and has now risen to nearly 106,000, the highest in the 140 year history of the RECORDER. This has been achieved largely because more churches are putting the RECORDER in the budget.

Those getting out the RECORDER each week feel that their obligation to North Carolina Baptists is to get out the finest paper possible. News coverage of meetings such as the Committee of 11 is needed if North Carolina Baptists are to settle this issue which has come up in the last two state conventions. Associate Editor Toby Druin has covered every meeting of this committee which is studying the baptism issue in our state. The RECORDER will carry the full report of this committee 60 days before the convention meets in Greensboro. This coverage will do much to help messengers arrive at the right decision in November.

The RECORDER has for years led the fight against liquor-by-the-drink-, and will continue to give you information that will help win this fight against the liquor interests and those who would profit from liquor by the drink if this passes. If individual Baptists will become as concerned about this evil as the RECORDER is, a great victory for decency will be won November 6.

Those of you who receive the RECORDER know what it contains each week . . . timely editorials, news of your fellow Baptist churches and fellow Christians, excellent photographs and covers, interesting personal columns, Letters to the Editor, and many other features. It is a Baptist family journal devoted to that which is wholesome and helpful. Those of you who don't get the RECORDER should subscribe immediately, either by putting the RECORDER in your budget for only \$2.50 a year or by starting a club of four or more for only \$3 a year. Where else can you get so much for so little?

Respectfully submitted,
D. E. Elledge

STATE MISSIONS REPORT

Did you know that North Carolina Baptists provide about one tenth of the financial aid for all Southern Baptist WORLD missions?

The goal for State Missions this year is \$500,000. Half of this will go for the ongoing of already existing programs in state missions. All over \$250,000 will go toward the construction of the CaRAway Conference Center. This is a proposed leadership training center located near Asheboro, N. C. for conferences, seminars, retreats, etc.

Two-thirds of all mission ministry done in North Carolina is actually financed by State Missions, even though it may be labeled "Home Missions". All state, home and associational missions are cooperative ministries which reflect good stewardship of Baptist money.

State Missions include: Church Loans, Lot and Pastoral Aid, Resort Ministries, Seminary Extension, Baptist Youth, Ministry to the Deaf, Chaplaincy, Campus Ministry, Fruitland, Cherokee Center, Military Service, Language Missions plus many other statewide ministries. State Missions needs and deserves your generous support. We urge each of you to give freely.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Rex Whittington

STEWARDSHIP AND COOPERATIVE PROGRAM REPORT

There is a real need to revitalize within Baptist the claim of Christ to actively support his Great Commission to teach and witness to the whole world as our one purpose. The 1973-74 Cooperative Program emphasis is designed to bring about this revitalization. The theme is "Operation One." One Lord, One Mission, One People.

Operation One is an effort to familiarize every Southern Baptist with the mission needs of the world and challenge them to respond in a positive way through greater involvement in mission giving. Each church is challenged to increase its gifts through the Cooperative Program by at least 1% of the total church budget income and increase associational mission giving in keeping with the amount suggested by our association.

In our state we have a goal of \$8,750,000 for the Cooperative Program. Of this amount \$2,-833,900 or 33.34% will go to Southern Baptist Convention causes. During the past year the churches of our association gave \$51,267 through the Cooperative Program. If every church in our association will increase their Cooperative Program giving by at least 1% of the total budget income we can give \$59,400 through the Cooperative Program next year.

To help us achieve the goals listed above, our association has agreed to promote a Missions Advance Emphasis. This date is November 24, 25. At the present time we have 31 churches who plan to participate in this endeavor. Pastors and laity have been informed of the proceedings of this Missions Advance Week-end.

WE RECOMMEND AT LEAST 2 THINGS: 1. That a stewardship chairman be elected in every church in our association. 2. That every church conduct a stewardship emphasis this year.

Respectfully submitted,
Paul Shoupe

TIME, PLACE AND PREACHER REPORT

The Time, Place and Preacher Committee recommends that the One Hundred Third Annual Session of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association be held at Wilkesboro Baptist Church, first day, October 7, 1974, with the sermon by Rev. Phillip Swanson, alternate, Rev. James Weaver, and at Lewis Fork Baptist Church, second day, October 8, 1974, with the annual sermon by Rev. Alfred Andrews, alternate, Rev. Glenn Ballard.

Respectfully submitted,
Joe B. Crouch, Chm.
Virginia Jarvis
Vaughn Brown

ASSOCIATIONAL CALENDAR

1973-74

OCTOBER

- 1 10:00 a.m. Ministers Conference, Association Office
- 2-4 N. C. Baptist Chaplains' Retreat, CaRaway
- 3 Cooperative Program Prayer Emphasis in the Churches
- 5-6 Statewide Planning Conference for Sunday School Directors
- CaRaway
- 5-6 Father-Son RA Camp (6, 7 & 8 year olds) CaRaway
- 8 7:30 p.m. Sunday School Planning Meeting, Association Office
- 10 Cooperative Program Prayer Emphasis in the Churches
- 12-13 Youth Council Retreat, CaRaway
- 12-14 Deacons' Retreat, CaRaway
- 13 Regional RA Counselor Courses, Brevard, Kannapolis, Fayetteville, and Oxford
- 14 Biblical Recorder Day
- 16-17 GENERAL BOARD MEETING, Mundo Vista
- 17 Cooperative Program Prayer Emphasis in the Churches
- 19-20 Father-Son RA Camp (6, 7 and 8 year olds) CaRaway
- 21 American Bible Society Day
- 22 Church Training Planning Meeting, Association Office
- 23 Church Building Conference, Gastonia
- 24 Cooperative Program Prayer Emphasis in the Churches
- 29 7:30 WMU Council Meeting, Wilkesboro Church

NOVEMBER

- 2-4 Fall BSU Convention
- 4-10 ROYAL AMBASSADOR WEEK
- 12-14 Baptist State Convention, Greensboro Coliseum .
- 16-17 Acteen Associational Officers' Retreat, Mundo Vista
- 18 BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES' OFFERING
- 19 7:30 Brotherhood Planning Meeting, Association Office
- 21-25 International Student Conference, Ridgecrest
- 22 Thanksgiving Day
- 25 BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES OFFERING
- 26 Church Training Mobilization Night
- 29-30 Associational Superintendents of Missions Meeting, Baptist Building, Raleigh

DECEMBER

- 2-8 WEEK OF PRAYER FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS AND LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING
- 3 10:00 a.m. Ministers' Conference
- 19 Convention-wide Carol Sing in the Churches
- 25 CHRISTMAS DAY
- 30 Student Night at Christmas

JANUARY

- 7 10:00 a.m. Ministers Conferences, Association Office
- 7-9 State VBS Clinic, Wingate College
- 7-11 January Bible Study (Collossians)
- 14 Sunday School Planning Meeting, Association Office
- 18-19 Home Mission Teacher Training
- 21 7:30 p.m. Church Training Planning Meeting, Association Office
- 25-27 High School Senior Retreat, CaRaway
- 27 Baptist Men's Day
- 28 7:30 p. m. WMU Council, Wilkesboro
- 28 Council on Christian Higher Education, Raleigh
- 29-30 General Board Meeting, Baptist Bldg, Raleigh

FEBRUARY

- 3 Baptist World Alliance Sunday
- 4-6 State-wide Evangelism Conference, Greensboro, War Memorial Auditorium
- 9 Summer missions Interviews, Hickory
- 10-16 WMU FOCUS WEEK
- 11 10:00 a.m. Ministers Conference, Office
- 11 6:30 p.m. Missions committee, Wilkesboro
- 11 7:30 p.m. Executive Committee, Wilkesboro
- 12 School of Christian Studies
- 15-16 Laymen's Witnessing Institute, Gardner-Webb College
- 15-16 Language missions Conference, CaRAway
- 17 SPECIAL DAY AND OFFERING FOR HOMES FOR AGING
- 18 7:30 p.m. Brotherhood Planning Meeting, Association Office
- 19 School of Christian Studies
- 26 School of Christian Studies
- 26 Regional Adult Choir Festivals, Clinton First and Morganton First

MARCH

- 3-9 WEEK OF PRAYER FOR HOME MISSIONS - ANNIE ARMSTRONG EASTER OFFERING
- 4 10:00 a.m. Ministers Conference, Office
- 5 School of Christian Studies
- 12 School of Christian Studies
- 12-13 WMU Annual Session, Winston Salem, Convention Center
- 15-16 All-Sports Weekend, Gardner Webb College
- 18 Council on Christian Life and Public Affairs, Greensboro
- 19 School of Christian Studies
- 19-21 Gardner-Webb College Ministers' Conference, Boiling Springs
- 18-20 Statewide Christian Life Workshop on the Family, Greensboro
- 19-20 Rural Church Conference, Fruitland
- 22-23 State Pioneer RA Congress (Ages 12-17) Hickory First
- 25 Day Camp Directors' Workshop, Winston Salem First
- 26 Day Camp Directors' Workshop, Gastonia, First
- 26 School of Christian Studies
- 29-30 Statewide Handbell Festival, Winston Salem, First
- 29-31 BSU Spring Conference, Ridgecrest

APRIL

- 1 10:00 a.m. Ministers Conference, Assoc. Office
- 1 7:30 p.m. Sunday School Planning Meeting, Assoc. Office
- 2 School of Christian Studies
- 5-6 Weekday Early Education Conference, Charlotte, Commonwealth
- 9 School of Christian Studies
- 14 EASTER SUNDAY
- 18-20 Church Ministries and Training Special Consultant Workshop Mundo Vista
- 19-20 Weekend RA Camp (Grades 4-12) CaRAway
- 19-21 Family Camping Weekend, CaRAway
- 21 COOPERATIVE PROGRAM DAY
- 22 7:30 p. m. Church Training Meeting, Assoc. Office
- 26-27 Weekend RA Camp (Grades 1-3) CaRAway
- 26-27 Joint Youth Convention, Winston Salem
- 26-28 Family Camping Weekend, CaRAway
- 29 WMU Annual Meeting
- 29-May 1 Regional Church Library Clinic, SBC, Ridgecrest

MAY

- 1-3 State wide Sunday School Children's Division Workshop, Ridgecrest Conference Center
- 6 10:00 a.m. Ministers Conference, Assoc. Office

6 6:30 p.m. Missions Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro
6 7:30 p.m. Executive Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro
9-11 State Recreation Conference, CaRAway
10-11 Baptist Women Retreat, Mundo Vista
12 BAPTIST HOSPITAL DAY AND MOTHER'S DAY OFFERING
13 7:30 p.m. Brotherhood Meeting, Assoc. Office
13 Communications, Administration and Evangelism Conference
Greensboro, First
17-18 Baptist Women Retreat, Mundo Vista
State RA Track Meet, Gardner Webb College
18 Boys and Girls Day Camp, 3rd graders
19 Baptist Radio and Television Sunday
20-24 Senior Adult Conference, Caswell
24-25 Dad and Lad over-night camp
27-June 3 Baptist Summer Opportunities Orientation, Gardner Webb

JUNE

1 State Scripture Exploring Drill, Fruitland
9-10 WMU Annual Meeting, Dallas, Texas
10 Pastors Conference, Religious Education Conference and
Music Conference, Dallas, Texas
10-13 Southern Baptist Convention, Dallas, Texas
16 BAPTIST COLLEGE DAY AND SCHOLARSHIP OFFERING
18 Council on Christian Higher Education
18-19 General Board Meeting, Mars Hill College
24-28 Girls in Action Camp, Fruitland

JULY

1 7:30 p.m. Sunday School Planning Meeting, Assoc. Office
1-5 Girls in Action Camp, Fruitland
1-5 Week of Christian Study and Fellowship, Mars Hill
4 INDEPENDENCE DAY
9 Sunday School Associational Briefing Meeting, Baptist
Building, Raleigh
12-13 Retreat for Acteens Leaders, Mundo Vista
22-26 Associational Superintendents of Missions Conf., Fruitland
22 7:30 p.m. Church Training Meeting, Assoc. Office
29 7:30 p.m. WMU Council, Wilkesboro
31 Sunday School Associational Briefing Meeting, Ridgecrest
31-Aug. 4 Baptist World Youth Congress, Portland, Oregon

AUGUST

5 6:30 p.m. Missions Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro
5 7:30 p.m. Executive Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro
18-24 WEEK OF PRAYER OF ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS
23-24 Workshop for Associational WMU Officers, Fruitland
25 ON-TO-COLLEGE DAY
30-31 Workshop for Associational WMU Officers, Mundo Vista

SEPTEMBER

2 LABOR DAY
5 Mission Advance Colloquy (Region 8) Statesville, First
6-7 Workshop for Associational WMU Officers, Mundo Vista
Crusader RA Congress (Grades 1-6) Greensboro, First
Chairmen of Deacons Conference, Greensboro, Friendly Ave.
9 10:00 a.m. Ministers Conference, Assoc. Office
12 Children's Homes Area Conference, Thomasville, Mills Home
13-14 Brotherhood Leadership Training Retreat, CaRAway
13-15 State BSU Officers' Workshop, CaRAway
15 STATE MISSIONS DAY AND OFFERING
17 State Building Conference, Morganton

18-21	Multi-vention (Church Administration-Church Training Leadership), CaRAway
20-21	Mother Daughter Camp, Mundo Vista
23-27	Allstate Youth Choir Festival, Winston Salem, First
27-29	Area Sunday School Bible Conference
	Baptist Men's Retreat, CaRAway
	Baptist Senior Women Retreat, Ridgecrest Conf. Center
30-Oct. 4	Sunday School Children's Area Workshop

CAMPS AND ASSEMBLIES

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 Southport, N. C. 28461
 Fred J. Smith, Director
 Telephone (919) 278-5495

May 20-24 - Senior Adult Conference
 June 10-14 - Youth Ministries
 June 17-21 - Children's Choir Camp
 June 24-28 - Church Ministries and Training
 July 1-5 - Youth Bible Conference
 July 8-12 - World Missions Week
 July 15-19 - Youth Conference
 July 22-26 - Youth-Adult Music Week
 July 29-Aug. 2 - Youth Conference
 Aug. 5-9 - Youth Conference
 Aug. 12-16 - Vacation Week
 Aug. 15-18 - Retreat for Exceptional Persons

Fruitland Baptist Conference Center
 P. O. Box 869
 Hendersonville, N. C. 18739
 Gary Harthcock, Director
 Telephone (704) 692-3588

June 17-21 - Open
 June 24-28 - Open
 July 1-5 - Open
 July 8-12 - Children's Choir Camp
 July 15-19 - Children's Choir Camp
 July 22-26 - Associational Superintendents of Missions Conference
 July 29-Aug. 2 - GA Camp
 Aug. 5-9 - GA Camp
 Aug. 12-16 - Open

Ridgecrest
 Kenneth McAnear, Manager
 Ridgecrest, N. C. 28770
 Telephone (704) 669-8022

June 8-14 - Student Week
 June 15-21 - Church Recreation Conference
 June 22-28 - Music Leadership Conference
 June 29-July 5 - Foreign Missions Conference
 July 6-12 - Church Training Leadership Conference
 Youth Leadership Conference
 July 13-19 - Church Training Leadership Conference
 Youth Leadership Conference
 Mentally Retarded Conference
 Vocational Guidance Lab

July 20-26 - Sunday School Leadership Conference
 Youth Bible Conference
 Mentally Retarded Conference
 July 27-Aug. 2 - Sunday School Leadership Conference
 Aug. 3-9 - W. M. U. Conference
 Aug. 10-16 - Bible Preaching Conference
 Youth Bible Conference
 Church Administration Conference
 Church and Denominational Statistics and History Conf.
 Church Library Conference
 Day Care/Kindergarten Conference
 Christian Sex Education
 Aug. 17-23 - Home Missions Conference
 Aug. 24-29 - Senior Adult Conference
 Aug. 30-Sept. 2 - Single Adult Conference

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HISTORICAL TABLE OF THE BRUSHY MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Wilkes County, North Carolina

DATE	WHERE HELD	MODERATOR	CLERK	PREACHER	No. of Churches	Baptisms	Church Memb.
1872	Sulphur Springs (Alex)	R. L. Steel	G. O. Sherrill	L. N. Haynes	27	45	2145
1873	New Hope	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	W. M. Wingate	28	75	2175
1874	Three Forks (Alex)	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	Isaac Oxford	29	96	1999
1875	Buffalo (Ashe)	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	James McNeill	28	201	2202
1876	Oak Forest	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	C. C. Pool	29	125	2525
1877	Union (Caldwell)	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	W. A. Pool	30	90	2558
1878	Lewis Fork	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	Wm. Pool	30	191	2722
1879	Antioch (Alex)	Isaac Oxford	James B. Pool	George W. Green	31	85	2665
1880	Bethel (Ashe)	R. A. Spainhour	James B. Pool	James B. Pool	34	195	2847
1881	Cub Creek	R. A. Spainhour	James B. Pool	Milton McNeill	36	188	2921
1882	Macedonia (Alex)	R. A. Spainhour	James B. Pool	W. J. Fulford	34	166	2930
1883	Kings Creek-Caldwell	R. A. Spainhour	W. E. White	W. A. Pool	35	204	3158
1884	Three Forks (Alex)	R. A. Spainhour	W. E. White	I. W. Thomas	36	146	3219
1885	Zion Hill	R. A. Spainhour	W. E. White	William Royal	36	207	3316
1886	Sulphur Springs (Alex)	R. A. Spainhour	W. E. White	W. A. Pool	31	125	2943
1887	Wilkesboro	R. A. Spainhour	W. E. White	C. E. Taylor	27	253	2701
1888	Walnut Grove	R. A. Spainhour	W. P. Laws	W. R. Gwaltney	14	43	1114
1889	Mt. Pleasant	I. T. Prevett	J. L. Hemphill	W. R. Gwaltney	17	133	1315
1890	Little Rock	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McChinnis	W. L. Wright	17	125	1325
1891	Mt. Carmel	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McChinnis	W. W. White	18	61	1303
1892	Moravian Falls	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McChinnis	I. T. Prevett	18	28	1283
1893	Pleasant Home	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McChinnis	A. T. Pardue	19	52	1375
1894	N. Wilkesboro 1st	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McChinnis	W. R. Bradshaw	20	73	1425
1895	New Hope	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McChinnis	A. T. Pardue	20	74	1475
1896	Mt. Zion	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McChinnis	J. C. Blalock	19	77	1480
1897	Edgewood	J. L. Hemphill	Vance McChinnis	W. R. Bradshaw	19	89	1575
1898	Beaver Creek	J. L. Hemphill	Vance McChinnis	A. T. Pardue	18	54	1511
1899	Lewis Fork	W. M. Absher	Vance McChinnis	J. J. Beach	19	37	1574
1900	Zion Hill	W. M. Absher	Vance McChinnis	W. R. Gwaltney	19	91	1608
1901	Cub Creek	J. L. Hemphill	Vance McChinnis	A. T. Pardue	20	110	1634
1902	Wilkesboro	J. L. Hemphill	Vance McChinnis	5. F. Conrad	20	167	1788
1903	Shady Grove	J. L. Hemphill	Vance McChinnis	W. R. Bradshaw	21	91	1850
1904	Stony Hill	J. L. Hemphill	John Crouch	W. H. Eller	21	74	1878
1905	Walnut Grove	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	W. F. Staley	21	185	1999
1906	Harmony	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	W. F. Staley	21	131	2080
1907	N. Wilkesboro 1st	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	J. S. Farmer	22	208	2196
1908	New Hope	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	W. F. Staley	22	91	2146
1909	Little Rock	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	J. W. Thomas	23	120	2275
1910	Wilkesboro	C. C. Wright	D. R. Edwards	C. M. Rock	23	115	2377

1911	Mt. Pleasant	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	L. B. Murray	206	2449
1912	Mt. Carmel	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	R. P. Blevins	156	2569
1913	Pleasant Home	C. C. Wright	R. P. Blevins	R. P. Blevins	200	2751
1914	Lewis Fork	C. C. Wright	R. L. Profit	S. S. Jennings	166	2888
1915	Mt. Zion	C. C. Wright	R. L. Profit	D. M. Wheeler	103	2880
1916	Moravian Falls	C. C. Wright	R. L. Profit	C. H. Utley	107	2999
1917	Edgewood	C. C. Wright	R. L. Profit	W. C. Meadows	213	3118
1918	Beaver Creek	C. C. Wright	R. L. Profit	S. S. Jennings	235	3251
1919	Zion Hills	C. C. Wright	R. L. Profit	W. F. Staley	134	3266
1920	Rhonda	C. C. Wright	R. L. Profit	G. W. Sebastian	116	3267
1921	N. Wilkesboro 1st	C. C. Wright	Vance McGinnis	W. L. Griggs	222	3450
1922	Pleasant Grove	C. C. Wright	Vance McGinnis	W. L. Griggs	315	3715
1923	Oakwoods	C. C. Wright	Vance McGinnis	G. W. Sebastian	27	3859
1924	Harmony	C. C. Wright	Vance McGinnis	W. L. Griggs	169	3729
1925	Walnut Grove	C. C. Wright	Vance McGinnis	J. L. Shinn	233	4087
1926	N. Wilkesboro 2nd	C. C. Wright	Vance McGinnis	G. G. Reeves	168	4198
1927	C. Goshen	C. C. Wright	Vance McGinnis	G. W. Sebastian	211	4816
1928	Mt. Pleasant	C. C. Wright	Vance McGinnis	N. C. Teague	105	4115
1929	Stony Hill	C. C. Wright	Vance McGinnis	W. M. Gilmore	79	4148
1930	Little Rock	C. C. Wright	Vance McGinnis	W. R. Bradshaw	194	4321
1931	Fishing Creek	C. C. Wright	J. E. Jordan	A. E. Watts	223	4680
1932	Pilgrim	J. L. Hemphill	J. F. Jordan	Avery M. Church	190	4660
1933	Mt. Zion	J. L. Hemphill	Mrs. Floyd M. Jennings	A. J. Foster	230	4759
1934	Moravian Falls	J. L. Hemphill	Mrs. Floyd M. Jennings	Eugene Olive	228	4899
1935	Lewis Fork	T. E. Story	Mrs. Floyd M. Jennings	Avery M. Church	108	4755
1936	Oakwoods	T. E. Story	Mrs. Floyd M. Jennings	N. T. Jarvis	181	4699
1937	Liberty Grove	T. E. Story	J. F. Jordan	C. C. Holland	201	4831
1938	Mt. Pleasant	T. E. Story	J. F. Jordan	Isaac Watts	30	5168
1939	Beaver Creek	T. E. Story	J. F. Jordan	Howard J. Ford	224	5391
1940	New Hope	T. E. Story	J. F. Jordan	Ernest V. Bumgarner	184	5515
1941	Pleasant Home	T. E. Story	J. F. Jordan	Finley C. Watts	212	5602
1942	Zion Hill	T. E. Story	J. F. Jordan	Alfred J. Foster	238	5651
1943	Elk	T. E. Story	J. F. Jordan	Howard J. Ford	330	5933
1944	Hinshaw Street	T. E. Story	J. F. Jordan	C. J. Pool	121	5964
1945	Mt. Carmel	T. E. Story	J. F. Jordan	S. Isaac Watts	342	6270
1946	Pleasant Grove	T. E. Story	J. F. Jordan	David E. Browning	240	6509
1947	Boiling Springs	T. E. Story	J. F. Jordan	W. N. Brookshire	191	6850
1948	Little Rock	T. E. Story	J. F. Jordan	J. Glenn Huffman	162	6571
1949	Goshen	T. E. Story	J. F. Jordan	C. J. Pool	284	6799
1950	Davis Memorial	T. E. Story	J. F. Jordan	John Wells	291	7073
1951	Walnut Grove	A. W. Eller	Mrs. Tam S. Hutchinson	W. N. Brookshire	250	7255
	N. Wilkesboro 1st			Gilbert Osborne		
	Harmony			H. I. Johnson		
				Clete Simmons		
				John T. Wayland		
1952	Purlear	A. W. Eller	Mrs. Tam S. Hutchinson	Clete Brown	221	7405
	Lewis Fork					

1953	Wilkesboro	John V. Idol	Mrs. H. G. Duncan	Harvey White	36	240	7531
1954	Goshen	John V. Idol	Mrs. H. G. Duncan	A. W. Eller	37	342	7833
1955	Pleasant Home	John V. Idol	Gwyn Vannoy	J. Glenn Huffman	37	352	7965
1956	Mt. Zion	John V. Idol	Thomas W. Earp	W. H. Caldwell	38	269	8186
1957	Welcome Home	John V. Idol	Thomas W. Earp	LeRoy Thomas	39	334	8425
1958	Cub Creek	John V. Idol	W. W. Miles	Hunter Church	39	339	8656
1959	Fishing Creek	John V. Idol	T. E. Story	Clyde Church	39	290	8855
1960	Beaver Creek	Clyde Church	T. E. Story	Howard Laney	39	404	9210
1961	Zion Hill	Clyde Church	T. E. Story	Heber F. Peacock	39	296	9325
1962	Calvary	Clyde Church	T. E. Story	Vaughn Brown	39	369	9582
1963	N. Wilkesboro 1st	Clyde Church	T. E. Story	Warren Kerr	39	267	9748
1964	Moravian Falls	Clyde Church	T. E. Story	Dean Dillard	39	337	9952
1965	Edgewood	Henry A. Morgan	T. E. Story	Richard Byrd	40	305	10,186
1966	Mt. Pleasant	Henry A. Morgan	T. E. Story	R. F. Smith, Jr.	40	356	10,532
1967	Oakwoods	Henry A. Morgan	T. E. Story	Rowe W. Teague	40	399	10,600
1968	Boiling Springs	Henry A. Morgan	T. E. Story	Fred S. Miller	40	241	10,294
1969	Little Rock	Henry A. Morgan	T. E. Story	W. H. Caldwell	41	268	10,587
1970	Hinshaw Street	Henry A. Morgan	T. E. Story	Paul Shoupe	41	251	10,937
1971	Millers Creek	Henry A. Morgan	T. E. Story	E. L. Copeland	41	324	11,113
1972	Liberty Grove	Henry A. Morgan	T. E. Story	C. A. Eden, Jr.	41	354	11,551
1973	Pilgrim	J. Glenn Huffman	Mrs. Albert Holman	C. E. Lawing	41	317	11,712
1974	New Hope	J. Glenn Huffman	Mrs. Albert Holman	R. Earl Adams			
1975	Wilkesboro	J. Glenn Huffman	Mrs. Albert Holman	Frank Walker			
1976	Fishing Creek	J. Glenn Huffman	Mrs. Albert Holman	David Osborne			
1977	Mt. Pleasant	J. Glenn Huffman	Mrs. Albert Holman	Harold T. Smith			
1978	Beaver Creek	J. Glenn Huffman	Mrs. Albert Holman	Clate Brown			
1979	North Wilkesboro 2nd	R. C. Greene	Mrs. Albert Holman	Allen Laymon			
1980	Goshen	R. C. Greene	Mrs. Albert Holman	G. C. Arney			
1981	Pleasant Home	R. C. Greene	Mrs. Albert Holman	Dean Simpson			
1982	Pleasant Grove	R. C. Greene	Mrs. Albert Holman	Gwyn Blackburn			
1983	North Wilkesboro First	Hunter Church	Mrs. Albert Holman	W. L. Pitts			
1984	Bethany	Hunter Church	Mrs. Albert Holman	Harold Rumfelt			
1985	Roaring River	Hunter Church	Mrs. Albert Holman	Mace Johnson			
1986	Little Rock	Hunter Church	Mrs. Albert Holman	Ralph Stanley			
1987	Wilkesboro	E. W. McMurray	Mrs. Albert Holman	Howard Ford			
1988	Liberty Grove	E. W. McMurray	Mrs. Albert Holman	E. W. McMurray			
1989	Hinshaw Street	E. W. McMurray	Mrs. Albert Holman	I. V. Couch			
1990	Gordon	J. C. Shaw, Jr.	Mrs. Albert Holman	Carl Walker			
1991	New Hope	J. C. Shaw, Jr.	Mrs. Albert Holman				
1992	Wilkesboro	J. C. Shaw, Jr.	Mrs. Albert Holman				
1993	Boiling Springs	J. C. Shaw, Jr.	Mrs. Albert Holman				
1994	Fishing Creek	J. C. Shaw, Jr.	Mrs. Albert Holman				
1995	Pleasant Home	J. C. Shaw, Jr.	Mrs. Albert Holman				

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION OF
NORTH CAROLINA

This is to certify that the

(Name of Church)

(Address)

in church conference _____ 19 ____

Voted to make formal application for

membership in the Brushy Mountain Missionary Baptist Association, and pledges itself to support the Baptist Denomination and its program of carrying out our Lord's Commands within the Association, the State, the Homeland, and throughout the world. The "Articles of Faith," known and commonly accepted by Baptists as the "New Hampshire Confession of Faith," has been read before the congregation and approved. It further pledges itself to live by the "Church Covenant" of a Missionary Baptist Church. It declares itself to be a duly-constituted and organized Missionary Baptist Church, and will maintain this status at all times, or will voluntarily withdraw from the Association.

It understands that upon submitting this application, accompanied with a Southern Baptist Convention uniform Associational letter to the Annual Session of the Association, and if the Association received the application and uniform letter, it will be referred to the Committee on New Churches for study and investigation. The Church maintains for the year the status of Associate Membership until the committee makes its recommendation, if favorable, it will be received into full membership with all the rights and privileges at the next Annual Session.

Signed _____ Pastor

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TABLE A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION 1973

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TABLE B - THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Association		SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES																				
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN		City	State	Zip	Preschool enrollment (5 years and under—not in school)	Children enrollment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Young Adult enrollment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	Senior Adult enrollment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement and over)	Adults Away enrollment	Homebound Units enrollment	General officers enrollment	Enrollment of church	Total ongoing Sunday School enrollment	School attendance	Number of Bible Study Fellowship classes	Bible Study Fellowship enrollment	January Bible Study enrollment	Weekday Bible Study enrollment	Bus attendance	Church V. B. S. enrollment	Mission V. B. S. enrollment	Total V. B. S. enrollment
State																						
NORTH CAROLINA																						
Associational Sunday School Director																						
BRYCE GREENE																						
Address		City	State	Zip																		
Rt. 1		North Wilkesboro	North Carolina	28659																		
CHURCHES																						
Bewer Creek	Richard Edmiston, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606	15	24	13	22	37	23	6	2	119	61	15	63	63	63	63	63	63	63	63	63	63
Bedlam	Wall Hill, Rt. 1, McVey 28654	18	17	13	18	25	23	10	4	116	77	15	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Belton Springs	Alton Mical, Rt. 1, Purley 28665	19	24	14	25	36	19	7	4170	152	132	89	15	89	89	89	89	89	89	89	89	89
Calvary	Don Carter, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697	15	28	28	22	47	19	7	4170	152	132	89	15	89	89	89	89	89	89	89	89	89
Crick	No Report																					
Cub Creek	Commie Johnson, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28654	23	34	24	25	78	8	2	2	194	129	1	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15
Davis Memorial	Lloyd Harris, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697	5	10	14	10	12	4	5	5	60	40	39	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30
Edgewood	Ted Hayes, Rt. 3, North Wilkesboro 28659	25	28	23	15	45	27	3	12	163	115	39	64	64	64	64	64	64	64	64	64	64
Elk	E. C. Eller, Jr., Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624	18	10	11	13	39	3	3	3	109	46	20	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58
Fishing Creek	Carlos Pardue, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro 28697	23	50	30	64	65	40	10	3	275	163	1	60	60	60	60	60	60	60	60	60	60
Friendly Grove	Malvin Roten, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651	2	7	11	5	27	2	3	3	57	45	35	37	37	37	37	37	37	37	37	37	37
Gordon	No Report																					
Godien	Bill Cardwell, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697	9	16	32	10	70	5	3	3	145	115	12	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	42
Harmony	Clyde Bumgarner, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651	19	21	31	14	32	12	9	20	127	82	38	68	68	68	68	68	68	68	68	68	68
Highway Street	Rex H. Brown, Rt. 1, Box 342, Hay's 28635	15	19	31	15	149	20	2	2	260	176	38	189	189	189	189	189	189	189	189	189	189
Inshaw	Robert L. Wood, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697	32	43	72	46	108	24	2	2	325	245	35	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Liberty	Paul Bumgarner, Rt. 2, North Wilkesboro 28659	25	28	36	15	33	36	4	4	177	112	25	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88
Liberty Grove	Ray Parsons, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606	28	21	21	27	52	23	3	3	177	116	30	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102
Little Rock	Douglas Taylor, Rt. 4, Box 381C, N. Wilkesboro 28659	38	48	38	27	84	10	3	3	248	132	25	69	69	69	69	69	69	69	69	69	69
Millers Creek	Donald Joines, Moravian Falls 28654	18	35	15	34	31	11	65	65	198	90	25	82	82	82	82	82	82	82	82	82	82
Moravian Falls	Rickey Osborne, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls 28654	13	15	12	18	11	35	3	3	173	140	12	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90
Mt. Carmel	Zib Turner, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697	34	30	10	28	31	35	3	3	173	140	12	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90
Mt. Pleasant	Clyde Watkins, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651	5	5	10	9	12	39	43	43	190	123	1	51	51	51	51	51	51	51	51	51	51
Mt. Zion	Conrad Shaw, 1011 Trogon Ave., N. Wilkesboro 28659	72	105	100	97	178	95	44	35	823	249	49	15	178	178	178	178	178	178	178	178	178
N. Wilkesboro, First	Ray Blewins, Sparta Rd., N. Wilkesboro 28659	5	38	22	9	25	10	10	10	100	64	27	82	82	82	82	82	82	82	82	82	82
N. Wilkesboro, Second	Douglas Davis, Rt. 5, North Wilkesboro 28659	14	15	14	14	27	10	3	3	97	112	27	92	92	92	92	92	92	92	92	92	92
Oak Grove	Gwynn E. Church, Rt. 2, Box 165, Wilkesboro 28697	24	22	60	11	52	11	3	3	172	101	12	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61
Oakwoods	Kermit Whittington, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697	18	39	28	24	78	3	2	2	276	157	12	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122
Orlrim	Joe Cook, 1113 E. Street, N. Wilkesboro 28659	10	30	78	50	75	20	4	4	275	197	12	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122
Pleasant	Ronald Shoemaker, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651	10	39	25	25	70	25	4	4	200	157	12	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61
Pleasant Grove	D. F. Beshears, Jr., Rt. 1, Purley 28665	7	19	9	18	40	30	16	16	123	76	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Pleasant Home	D. F. Beshears, Jr., Rt. 1, Purley 28665	7	19	9	18	40	30	16	16	123	76	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Roaring River	Jim Bokes, Rt. 2, Box 170, North Wilkesboro 28659	4	16	6	22	16	2	3	3	85	58	12	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Rocky Creek	Hubert Bullis, Rt. 2, Box 172, Moravian Falls 28654	3	6	4	2	2	25	3	3	39	12	42	51	51	51	51	51	51	51	51	51	51
Shady Grove	Granville Billings, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606	7	10	8	9	10	6	10	10	50	46	41	65	65	65	65	65	65	65	65	65	65
Sharon Walker	George McNeil, Rt. 1, Box 74, Purley 28665	14	16	13	24	31	8	2	2	108	70	41	65	65	65	65	65	65	65	65	65	65
Stony Hill	James Broynhill, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls 28654	7	14	22	32	8	58	3	3	144	60	64	64	64	64	64	64	64	64	64	64	64
Watnot Grove	Addis M. Triplett, Rt. 4, North Wilkesboro 28659	27	20	20	6	57	20	3	3	153	106	24	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137
Welcome Home	Ralph Langley, Short Street, N. Wilkesboro 28659	47	71	51	23	137	46	5	5	42	204	27	89	89	89	89	89	89	89	89	89	89
Wilkesboro		19	15	22	29	21	14	14	14	120	70	27	89	89	89	89	89	89	89	89	89	89
Zion Hill																						
TOTALS		708	886	998	845	1873	741	85	51	132	228	6649	4088	3	136	461	133	2674	89	2763	89	2763

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Association																												
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN																												
State																												
NORTH CAROLINA																												
Associational Training Union Director																												
MRS. I. V. COUCH																												
Address																												
Route 4, Box 426 North Wilkesboro N. C.																												
City																												
State																												
Zip																												
28659																												
CHURCHES										TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES																		
Beaver Creek	Charles Taylor, Rt. 5, Box 592, Lenoir 28645		9	9	4	4	13	3	2	28	10																	
Edgewood	C. R. Garty, Rt. 2, Box 484, Wilkesboro 28697		3	3	9	3	12	3	1	40	20																	
Fishing Creek	Wade Walsh, Rt. 5, North Wilkesboro 28659		12	3	3	13	23	9	4	64	29																	
Goshen	Bobbie Collins, Rt. 1, Boone 28606		8	12	6	10	10		2	40	20																	
Liberty Grove	Jimmy Brown, Rt. 2, North Wilkesboro 28697		16	16	10	16	12		2	40	22																	
Little Rock	Frank Carlton, Rt. 1, Boone 28606		4	11	5	8	20		3	51	29																	
Millers Creek	Mrs. Rena Spicer, Rt. 1, Box 605, Millers Creek 28651		2	3	8	15	15		2	45	15																	
Moravian	John Tugman, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro 28697		3	7	3	12	17	6	2	50	33																	
New Hope	Mrs. Charles Beshears, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665		3	89	104	3	63		5	267	168																	
N. Wilkesboro First	Mrs. R. H. McNeill, Rt. 3, Box 456, Wilkesboro 28697		3	8	4	8	10		3	36	26																	
N. Wilkesboro Second	Gary Anderson, 28 Sunset Drive, North Wilkesboro 28659		3	8	4	8	10		3	36	26																	
Oakwoods	William Ellis, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro 28697		3	8	4	8	10		3	36	26																	
Pleasant Home	Mrs. Otto Reavis, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651		5	9	17	4	7		3	40	15																	
Walnut Grove	Lee Bentley, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls 28654		7	5	12	11	24		3	32	13																	
Wilkesboro	Robert G. Parsons, 1434 Westwood Lane, Wilkesboro 28697		47	171	191	110	236	24	36	815	448																	
TOTALS										47	171	191	110	236	24	36	36	36	815	448	54	31	36	31	5	32	32	

TABLE D CHURCH MUSIC				1973										
Association														
State														
Associational Music Director														
Address	City	State	Zip											
325 Forest Hill Rd. Wilkesboro North Carolina 28697														
CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES													
Beaver Creek	David Walsh, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606			14										
Bethany	W. O. Huffman, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665			5										
Boiling Springs	Vaughn Eller, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro 28659			6										
Calvary	(NO REPORT)		5	15										
Cub Creek	Charlie Cain, Sr., Rt. 3, Wilkesboro 28697			15										
Davis Memorial	Travis Harris, Rt. 1, Box 347, Ferguson 28624			4										
Edgewood	C. A. Hayes, P. O. Box 405, N. Wilkesboro 28659			10										
Elk	Vernon M. Eller, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624		12	8										
Fishing Creek	Ray Vaughn Brown, Rt. 5, N. Wilkesboro 28659			3										
Friendly Grove	Don Key, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651			7										
Gordon	(NO REPORT)			7										
Goshen	Charles Proffitt, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606		5	9										
Hinshaw Street	Fred Bumgarner, Rt. 4, Box 375-A, N. Wilkesboro 28659		4	9										
Liberty Grove	Howard Frazier, North Park Rd., N. Wilkesboro 28659			20										
Lewis Fork	James Triplett, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665			6										
Little Rock	Mrs. Tam Hutchinson, Rt. 5, N. Wilkesboro 28659			10										
Millers Creek	Mrs. Rowan Mottisner, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606			25										
Moravian Falls	Harold Bass, P. O. Box 191, Wilkesboro 28697			3										
Mr. Carmel	Mrs. Raymond Bare, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606		10	15										
Mr. Pleasant	Miss Sandi Greene, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665			11										
Mr. Zions	J. T. Vannoy, Spring Park Street, N. Wilkesboro 28659		34	31										
New Hope	Elithu E. Sloan, 325 Forest Hill Rd., Wilkesboro 28697		5	17										
N. Wilkesboro First	Eugene Triplett, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651		3	20										
N. Wilkesboro Second	Mrs. Phil Swanson, Rt. 2, Box 523, Wilkesboro 28697			17										
Oak Grove	Charles Shumaker, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697		15	9										
Oakwoods	Mrs. Elynn Pierce, Wilkesboro 28697		3	3										
Pilgrim	Rex Reeves, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651			12										
Pleasant Grove	W. A. Blackburn, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665			5										
Pleasant Home	North Ward, Rt. 2, North Wilkesboro 28659			3										
Purlear	Donald C. Owens, 1202 Willard St., North Wilkesboro 28659			3										
Roaring River														
Rocky Creek														
Shady Grove														
Sharon Walker														
Sony Hill														
Walnut Grove														
Welcome Home														
Wilkesboro														
Zion Hill														
TOTALS														

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Association																				
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN																				
State																				
NORTH CAROLINA																				
Associational WMU Director																				
MRS. ROBERT FOSTER																				
Address	City	State	Zip																	
406 Highland	Wilkesboro	North Carolina	28697																	
CHURCHES				WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES																
Beaver Creek	Mrs. Myrtle Horton, Rt. 1, Box 21, Ferguson 28624			1																
Boiling Springs	Mrs. Jerry Eller, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624																			
Cub Creek	Mrs. Bobby Johnson, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28654			1	1															
Edgewood																				
Elk	Mrs. James McNeil, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624																			
Fishing Creek	Mrs. Clifford Waddell, Rt. 3, Box 514, North Wilkesboro 28659																			
Friendly Grove	Mrs. Clyde R. Eller, Rt. 1, Millers creek 28651																			
Hinshaw Street	Mrs. W. L. Potts, P. O. Box 791, North Wilkesboro 28659			1	1															
Liberty Grove	Mrs. Roy Livingston, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606			1	1															
Little Rock	Mrs. Phillip Day, Rt. 1, Purlar 28665			1	1															
Millers Creek	Mrs. E. W. McMurray, Box 86, Moravian Falls 28654			1	2															
Moravian Falls	Mrs. Edwin Church, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624			1	1															
Mt. Pleasant				1	2															
New Hope	Mrs. James Payne, Rt. 3, Box 458, Wilkesboro 28697			1	3															
N. Wilkesboro First	Miss Nora Laws, 1117 Trodgon St., North Wilkesboro 28659			1																
Oakwoods	Mrs. Rex Whittington, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651																			
Pleasant Home	Mrs. Mae R. Fox, Rt. 4, North Wilkesboro 28659			1	1															
Welcome Home	Mrs. Stokes Pearson, Woodland Blvd., Wilkesboro 28697			1	2															
Wilkesboro				7	16	9	4	19	1	55	52	133	78	51	250	65	7	637		
TOTALS																				

TABLE H. MISSION EXPENDITURES										1973
Association	BRUSHY MOUNTAIN				Church				Sponsored Missions	
State	NORTH CAROLINA				Sponsored church					
Associational Superintendent of Missions (Associational Missionary)					the year					
REV. I. V. COUCH					Money paid out on new construction during					
Address	City	State	North Carolina	Zip	1973	1972	1971	1970	1969	
CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES										
Beaver Creek	Mrs. Marguerite Hayes, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624									
Bethany	J. C. Costner, Rt. 1, Box 144, Moravian Falls 28654									
Boiling Springs	Turner Huffman, Rt. 1, Box 79, Purlear 28665									
Calvary	Gwyn Anderson, Rt. 2, Box 173-A, Wilkesboro 28697									
Cricket	(NO REPORT)									
Cub Creek	Gary Jordan, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls 28654									
Davis Memorial	Mrs. Paul Fairchild, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697									
Edgewood	Mrs. Dennis Brammick, 17 Park Rd., N. Wilkesboro 28659									
Fishing Creek	Mrs. W. Wolfe, Rt. 1, Box 280, N. Wilkesboro 28659									
Friendship	Dorothy Miller, Rt. 3, Box 506, N. Wilkesboro 28659									
Gardner	Gennie Miller, Rt. 4, Box 390C, N. Wilkesboro 28659									
Goshen	(NO REPORT)									
Harmony	Jesse A. Walsh, Sr., Rt. 3, Box 45, Wilkesboro 28697									
Hinshaw Street	Mrs. Finney, Rt. 1, Box 189-G, Wilkesboro 28659									
Lewis Fork	Don Wagner, Rt. 1, Box 200, Purlear 28665									
Liberty Grove	Bill Shepherd, P. O. Box 231, N. Wilkesboro 28659									
Littles Creek	Mrs. O. B. Smith, Rt. 1, Box 260, Boomer 28606									
Morris Creek	Mrs. Eugene Carter, Rt. 1, Box 2, Millers Creek 28651									
Moravian Falls	Martha Glass, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro 28697									
Mt. Carmel	Mrs. Robert Pipes, Rt. 2, Box 103-A, Moravian Falls 28654									
Mt. Pleasant	Mrs. Edward Church, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624									
New Hope	Raymond Church, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28659									
N. Wilkesboro First	Wm. G. Phillips, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665									
N. Wilkesboro Second	Mrs. Huffman, 103 Pine St., N. Wilkesboro 28659									
Oak Grove	Mrs. John Johnson, Jr., Rt. 5, Box 126, N. Wilkesboro 28659									
Oakwoods	Mrs. Jackie Parsons, Rt. 1, Box 370, Millers Creek 28651									
Pilgrim	Mrs. Gwyn E. Church, Rt. 2, Box 165, Wilkesboro 28697									
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Olin Foster, Rt. 1, Box 208, Wilkesboro 28697									
Pleasant Home	Junior Bare, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro 28659									
Purlear	Mrs. Zack York, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651									
Roaring River	Miss Judy Huffman, Rt. 1, Box 310, Purlear 28665									
Rocky Creek	Charlotte Reavis, Rt. 2, Box 1-X, Roaring River 28669									
Shady Grove	Mamie Frazier, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28654									
Shenandoah	Miss Christine Eller, Rt. 1, Box 336, Wilkesboro 28697									
Shenandoah	Gurt Rich, Boomer 28606									
Shenandoah	Charles Rich, Boomer 28606									
Walcome Home	Mrs. Martin Ashby, Rt. 2, Box 33-A, Moravian Falls 28654									
Walcome Home	Chalmers Dyer, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro 28659									
Zion Hill	Robert Triplett, P. O. Box 21, Wilkesboro 28697									
Zion Hill	Earle German, Boomer 28606									
TOTALS					10878	10878	51267	14524	2856	

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Association																				
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN																				
State																				
NORTH CAROLINA																				
Moderator																				
REV. GWYN BLACKBURN																				
Address																				
Rt. 1																				
Millers Creek																				
City																				
State																				
North Carolina																				
Zip																				
28651																				
CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS & ADDRESSES																				
Beaver Creek	John Adams, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606									N										
Bethany	Max Hendren, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28654									N										
Boiling Springs	O. O. Huffman, Rt. 1, Purlear 28666									N										
Chickery	Herman Minton, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697									N										
Cub Creek	(No Report)									N										
Davis Memorial	Jessie Johnson, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28654									N										
Edgewood	Emmit Harris, Rt. 1, Box 255, Wilkesboro 28697									N										
Elk	C. A. Hayes, P. O. Box 405, N. Wilkesboro 28659									N										
Fishing Creek	E. C. Eller, Jr., Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624									Y										
Friendly Grove	G. Warner Miller, Rt. 3, Box 501, N. Wilkesboro 28659									N										
Gordon	Winfred C. Church, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651									N										
Goshen	(No Report)									N										
Harmony	Jesse A. Walsh, Jr., Rt. 3, Box 36, Wilkesboro 28697									N										
Hinslaw Street	Clyde Bumgarner, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651									N										
Lewis Fork	Talmadge Gambill, 908 Hinshaw St., N. Wilkesboro 28659									N										
Liberty Grove	Vernon Dyer, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624									N										
Little Rock	John A. Baugues, Rt. 2, N. Wilkesboro 28659									N										
Millers Creek	Rowan Morsinger, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606									N										
Monks Mills	Joe S. Parsons, Rt. 1, Box 272, Millers Creek 28651									N										
Mr. Carmel	John Tugman, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro 28697									Y										
Mr. Pleasant	Ernest Walsh, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697									Y										
Mr. Zion	D. M. Triplett, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624									N										
New Hope	Rex Yates, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665									N										
N. Wilkesboro First	Wayne Coffey, 323 Forest Hill Rd., Wilkesboro 28697									N										
N. Wilkesboro Second	J. D. Berrong, Rt. 5, Box 425, N. Wilkesboro 28659									N										
Oak Grove	Gwyn E. Church, Rt. 2, Box 165, Wilkesboro 28697									N										
Oakwoods	Herman Minton, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697									N										
Pilgrim	Wade Parsons, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697									N										
Pleasant Grove	James Caldwell, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651									N										
Pleasant Home	James E. Huffman, Rt. 1, Box 310, Purlear 28665									N										
Purlear	R. S. Mastin, Rt. 2, Roaring River 28665									N										
Roaring River	R. S. Mastin, Rt. 2, Roaring River 28665									N										
Rocky Creek	John Tugman, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro 28697									N										
Sharon Walker	Frank A. Huddles, Rt. 1, Box 94, Ferguson 28624									Y										
Stony Hill	George McNeill, Rt. 1, Box 74, Purlear 28665									N										
Walnut Grove	Meek Brock, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28654									N										
Welcome Home	Harry Kendall, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro 28659									N										
Wilkesboro	Howard C. Colvard, Jr., Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697									N										
Zion Hill	William J. Earp, Boomer 28606									N										

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Mount Pleasant Baptist Church

SERMON..... Rev. Carl Elledge
ALTERNATE Rev. Lavelle Waters

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LICENSED MINISTERS

CALVARY: Larry Childress, P. O. Box 536, Millers Creek	28651
ELK: Clinton Bruce Eller, Wilkesboro	28697
LEWIS FORK: Johnny Adams, Purlear	28665
Wayne Adams, Purlear	28665
LITTLE ROCK: Jerry Kilby, Rt. 1, Boomer	28606
NEW HOPE: Everette Church, Rt. 1, Purlear	28665
N. WILKESBORO FIRST: Don Abernethy, 103 Brook St., Wilkesboro	28697
William C. Maddry, 905 F St., N. Wilkesboro	28659
N. WILKESBORO SECOND: Ralph Miller, N. Wilkesboro	28659
Wilson Owens, Odell St., N. Wilkesboro	28659
OAK GROVE: Hobert Jones, Rt. 5, N. Wilkesboro	28659
PILGRIM: Frank Cooper, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro	28697
PLEASANT GROVE: Gordon Church, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro	28697
PLEASANT HOME: Gary McNeil, Rt. 1, Millers Creek	28651
SHADY GROVE: Hubert Bullis, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls	28654

MINISTERS ORDAINED DURING YEAR

CALVARY: Randy Osborne, Rt. 1, Millers Creek	28651
CRICKET: Lloyd Payne, Rt. 6, N. Wilkesboro	28659
LEWIS FORK: Rex Foster, Rt. 1, Purlear	28665
LITTLE ROCK: Robert Livingston, Rt. 1, Boomer	28606
MT. PLEASANT: John McKuhen, Rt. 1, Ferguson	28624

MINISTERS LICENSED DURING YEAR

CALVARY: Larry Childress, Box 536, Millers Creek	28651
OAK GROVE: Hobert Jones, Rt. 5, N. Wilkesboro	28659
PILGRIM: Frank Cooper, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro	28697
PURLEAR: Roy Grayum, Rt. 1, Millers Creek	28651
SHADY GROVE: Hubert Bullis, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls	28654

CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE I - NAME

This body shall be known as the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association of Wilkes County, North Carolina.

ARTICLE II - PURPOSE

It shall be the purpose of this Association to consider and promote measures for increasing the harmony, the intelligence, and the spiritual life of the churches and for developing and directing their energies and their contributions in the advancement of Christ's kingdom throughout the earth, always in harmony with the teachings of the New Testament. This Association shall be an auxiliary to the North Carolina Baptist State Convention in all its missionary, educational and benevolent work.

ARTICLE III - MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. The Association shall be composed of Missionary Baptists Churches desiring to affiliate with it. Each church may be represented in the annual associational meetings by its pastor and any other ordained ministers holding membership in it and living within the bounds of the Association. In addition to these each church may elect three (3) messengers for the first one hundred (100) members or fraction thereof, plus one additional messenger for each additional one hundred (100) members or major fraction thereof, provided, that no church shall be entitled to send more than ten (10) messengers.

Section 2. Any church desiring to become a member of the Association shall present through messengers chosen for that purpose, its request for membership on APPLICATION for MEMBERSHIP provided in the minutes along with a UNIFORM ASSOCIATIONAL LETTER provided by the clerk at any Annual Session of the Body. The Moderator shall refer the church to the Committee on New Churches for study and investigation. The church maintains for the year the status of Associate membership until the Committee makes its recommendation, if favorable, it will be received into full membership with all the rights and privileges at the next Annual Session: If the Association then votes to receive the church the Moderator shall extend the hand of fellowship to the messengers.

Section 3. Any church not representing itself in this body for three successive years, either by letter or by messengers shall be stricken from the roll of churches, unless satisfactory reasons for such failure are given.

Section 4. The Association shall withdraw fellowship from any church in its membership which shall be found to be disorderly in faith and practice, but not until charges are brought against it by some other church and carefully considered by the Association.

ARTICLE IV - OFFICERS AND THEIR DUTIES

Section 1. The officers of the Association shall consist of a Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, Brotherhood Director, Woman's Missionary Union Director, Director of Music Ministry, School of Christian Studies Director, Superintendent of Evangelism, Librarian and Representatives for the following: Biblical Recorder, Baptist Hospital, Children's Home, Homes for Aging, Baptist Colleges, POAU, Annuity Board, American Bible Society, Fruitland, State Missions and Foreign Missions. These shall be elected annually on the second day of the annual session before the noon recess adjournment by a majority of the members voting and shall begin their term of office upon final adjournment of the session at which elected and shall continue in office until the close of the next annual session. Any officer may succeed himself, except the Moderator who may not serve more than two years in succession.

The Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, Brotherhood Director, Woman's Missionary Union Director and the Superintendent of Evangelism, will be elected at the Executive Promotion Committee Meeting in August. After their election they will become a part of the Nominating Committee.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside at all meetings, preserve order, appoint all committees not otherwise provided for, and exercised all other duties of a presiding officer according to the principles of established parliamentary usage; he shall also, as far as his private duties

may permit, visit and communicate with the churches between the sessions of the Association to encourage and assist them in their work for the kingdom. He shall appoint a Nominating Committee, and Committee on Committees at the annual meeting to serve for the following year. He shall be chairman of the Executive Committee, and ex-officio member of all other committees.

Section 3. The Vice-Moderator shall discharge the duties of the Moderator in his absence, or at his request, and be Vice-Chairman of the Executive Committee.

Section 4. The Clerk shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the Association; shall superintend their printing and distribution to the churches; shall send one copy each to the General Secretary of the Baptist State Convention, the Baptist Sunday School Board, Nashville, Tenn., the American Baptist Publication Society, Philadelphia, Pa., and to our denominational agencies or institutions requesting them; shall preserve a file of all Association records; shall provide at least one month prior to the annual session of the Association form letters for the use of the churches in making their reports to the Association and shall suggest to each church, based on the actual cost of printing, the amount needed for the printing and distribution of the Annual. He shall serve as Secretary of the Executive Committee.

Section 5. The Treasurer shall receive and disburse all funds of the Associations, as directed by the Association, and make an itemized statement at each annual session.

Section 6. The Historian shall collect facts of interest to the Association and the cooperating churches, and shall make a report to each annual session of the Association.

Section 7. The Trustees shall be three in number. It shall be their duty to hold in trust any property, endowment or other securities of this Association, and to be representative of the Association in legal matters.

ARTICLE V - COMMITTEES AND THEIR DUTIES

Section 1. At each annual session of the Association the Moderator shall appoint a Nominating Committee composed of three members from as many different churches. It shall be the duty of this committee to nominate and present to the Association at its next annual session a complete slate of officers and institutional representatives. After presentation of these nominations the Moderators shall give opportunity for nominations from the floor for any and all of these positions. Should vacancies occur by death or resignation, it shall be the duty of this committee to name a person to fill the vacant position until the next annual session of the Association, with the approval of the Executive Committee.

Section 2. At each annual session of the Association the Moderator shall appoint a COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES composed of six members from as many different churches. It shall be the duty of this committee to nominate and present to the Association at its next annual session members of all standing committees not otherwise provided for in this constitution. Should vacancies occur by death or resignation, it shall be the duty of this Committee to name a person to fill the vacant position until the next annual session of the Association, with the approval of the Executive Committee.

Section 3. THE EXECUTIVE PROMOTION COMMITTEE shall consist of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Director, Associational Church Training Director, Director of Music Ministry, Associational W. M. U. Director, Associational Brotherhood Director and all the pastors of churches within the Association together with one member from each church to be elected by the church. A quorum shall consist of ten (10) members of the committee, including four of the above mentioned officers, providing that either the Moderator or the Vice-Moderator is present. It shall be the duty of the Executive Promotion Committee to cooperate with the Baptist State Convention and with the churches of the Association in the promotion of any plans which may seem wise for the extension of Christ's Kingdom, and to take such steps as may be necessary to put into successful operation any plans adopted by the Association. The committee shall meet at least once each quarter at a time to be agreed upon or at the call of the Moderator. The officers of the Association shall be the officers of this committee with the Moderator serving as chairman.

Section 4. THE ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS COMMITTEE shall be composed of the Associational Sunday School Director, the Associational Church Training Director, the Associational Director of Music Ministry, the Associational W. M. U. Director, the Associational Brotherhood Director and three pastors, who along with the chairman, shall be nominated by the Committee on Committees. It shall be the duty of this committee to cooperate with the Associational Missionary in the extension of Baptist work throughout the Associa-

tional area, and advise with him in matters pertaining to his work and activities. It shall also be the duty of the committee, in the event of a vacancy in the position of Associational Missionary, to seek out and recommend to the Executive Promotion Committee and the Association a suitable person. It shall be the further duty of this committee to consult with the Finance Committee on matters of expense and to provide information to the Baptist State Convention officials which might be helpful in meeting missionary needs and to make recommendations to the Association in matters of this kind.

Section 5. THE FINANCE COMMITTEE shall be composed of six members with the Treasurer serving as EX-OFFICIO MEMBER. It shall be the duty of this committee to plan and recommend to the Executive Promotion Committee and the Association a financial budget for the coming year and to supervise the raising and expenditure of funds.

Section 6. THE COMMITTEE ON NEW CHURCHES shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to receive applications from churches seeking admission to the Association and, after careful investigation and deliberation, to report to the Association on such applications in keeping with the provisions of this Constitution.

Section 7. THE CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to study and recommend any necessary change in the Constitution and bring reports as necessary to the Association.

Section 8. THE ORDER OF BUSINESS COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to arrange the program for the annual session of the Association and present the same for adoption at its opening session. The Moderator and the Superintendent of Missions will serve as special advisors on this committee.

Section 9. THE TIME, PLACE, AND PREACHER COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to receive or solicit invitations for the place of meeting and to recommend to the annual session a place or places of meeting, preacher, and an alternate for the Introductory Sermon, a preacher and an alternate for the Missionary Sermon and the dates for the next annual session.

Section 10. THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to study and report on such resolutions as may be referred to it and to present such other resolutions as may be appropriate at the annual session.

Section 11. THE COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL SERVICE AND CIVIC RIGHTEOUSNESS shall be composed of three members from as many different churches whose duty it shall be to study the social and civic problems of our area, along with relevant literature available through the Christian Life Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention, and to report to the annual session of the Association their findings along with recommendations for specific action by the Association and/or cooperating churches.

Section 12. THE STEWARDSHIP AND COOPERATIVE PROGRAM COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duties it shall be to encourage each church to teach and practice Bible stewardship, to give to associational missions, and to support world mission causes through the Cooperative Program.

Section 13. THE COMMITTEE ON EVANGELISM, composed of three members shall promote the work of evangelism in the Association in cooperation with the State Department of Evangelism. All plans and programs to be subject to the approval of the Association or its Executive Promotion Committee.

Section 14. THE CALENDAR COMMITTEE shall be composed of the following associational officers: Missionary, Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, W. M. U. Director, Brotherhood Director, Director of Music Ministry, and President of the Pastor's Conference. This committee shall prepare an associational calendar for the year, and present same to the Executive Committee, and to the annual meeting, for adoption. This calendar shall be included in the Annual.

Section 15. THE COMMITTEE ON ORDINATION, composed of six pastors, shall, when requested by a member church, assist with the examination and ordination of candidates for the Gospel Ministry. Churches wishing to ordain ministers are requested to place their candidates before the Committee at least thirty (30) days prior to the date set for ordination for examination on the following principles:

- a. Christian experience or conversion;
- b. Call to the ministry;
- c. Attitude toward denominational work and objects;
- d. Support of denominational causes;
- e. Moral and spiritual fitness;
- f. Doctrinal beliefs;

g. Knowledge of the Bible.

Candidates are to be ordained with the assistance of this committee only, when they are serving a church or churches as Pastor or having been called as Pastor of a Missionary Baptist Church.

No candidate for ordination shall be considered by the committee who has not been a member of a cooperating church for at least one year.

Candidates are to be urged to prepare themselves for the ministry as far as possible in Baptist Institutions of higher learning.

This committee shall not recommend any candidate for ordination whom they feel will not bring honor and esteem to the Lord, to Southern Baptists and to the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association.

Recommendations will be made by the Committee to the church where the candidate holds membership. The committee will assist the church in the ordination service at a time convenient to the church and to the members of the committee if such assistance is desired.

Section 16. THE COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS, composed of three members, shall bring a report at the annual meeting, leading in a Memorial service, in memory of those reported by the churches as deceased since the last annual meeting.

Section 17. PROPERTIES COMMITTEE. This committee shall be composed of three members and shall have the responsibility of supervision of all properties belonging to the Association and shall give attention to the condition of the properties owned by the Association. This committee shall make such repairs or improvements as deemed necessary. All matters of major repairs or improvements shall be referred to the Finance Committee for action and recommendation to the Executive Committee. This committee shall make at least one annual inspection of all properties owned by the Association.

ARTICLE VI - GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 1. The employment of an Associational Missionary shall follow the procedure outlined in Section 4, Article V, with the understanding that said person be extended an indefinite call and that a period of 30 days notice be given by either the missionary or the Association in the event of termination of such employment.

Section 2. All questions of order not herein provided for shall be decided according to some standard work on parliamentary practice, preferably ROBERTS RULE OF ORDER, Revised.

Section 3. Amendments to this Constitution may be made at any annual session upon vote of two-thirds of the members present, provided that such amendments be presented on the first day of the annual session and voted upon the second day.

ARTICLE VII - AMENDMENTS

Section 1. ROTATING OF COMMITTEES. One-third of each committee shall be elected to serve a period of three years. Committees or parts of committees composed of organizational heads shall not be subject to rotation. No member shall succeed himself. Vacancies occurring during the year may be filled immediately by the Executive Committee.

Section 2. ELECTION OF OFFICERS. The Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, Brotherhood Director, Woman's Missionary Union Director and The Superintendent of Evangelism, will be elected at the Executive Promotion Committee Meeting 10/6/71

Section 3. SPECIAL ADVISORS. The Moderator and the Superintendent of Missions will serve on all committees of the association as special advisors. 10/6/71

BY-LAWS

1. The Association shall convene annually on _____ and continue two days or longer in the judgment of the Committee on Order of Business and subject to the approval of the Association.

2. Each session of the Association shall be opened with religious exercise, conducted by whomsoever the Committee on Order of Business may designate.

3. A majority of the members present shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of any

- business except the matter of making changes in the Constitution.
4. Any member wishing to speak shall rise and address the Moderator, shall confine himself strictly to the question under consideration, and avoid the use of unnecessary personalities.
5. The members shall observe toward the officers and towards one another such courtesies as are becoming to Christians.
6. The annual Associational year, for the purpose of reporting statistical information shall be September 1 to August 31, inclusive.
7. Amendments to the By-Laws may be made by a majority vote of members present at any annual meeting of the Association.

REVISED OCTOBER 15-16, 1969

AMENDMENT TO BY-LAW NO. 1. (The Association shall convene annually on _____ and continue two days or longer in the judgement of the Committee on Order of Business and subject to the approval of the Association.)

On recommendation from the Constitution Committee, October 4, 1972, the Association voted to amend By-law 1 to read as follows: The Association shall meet on Monday night before the first Tueseday in October and for a full day session on the first Tuesday in October.

Program

BRUSHY MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
103RD ANNUAL MEETING
MONDAY AFTERNOON, OCTOBER 7, 1974
Moderator: Rev. Gwyn Blackburn

- 4:00 p. m. Hymn
Welcome from Pastor Rev. Alfred Andrews
- 4:05 p. m. Scripture and Prayer H. C. Colvard, Jr., Chrm. of Deacons
- 4:10 p. m. Report of Committee on Order of Business Robert Triplett
- 4:15 p. m. Recognition of New Pastors Rev. I. V. Couch
- 4:20 p. m. Committee Reports
Appointment of Committees..... Rev. Gwyn Blackburn
Executive Committee Report..... Rev. Gwyn Blackburn
Nominating Committee Report..... Rev. Glenn Byrd
Committee on Committees Rev. Alfred Andrews
- 4:40 p. m. History of Wilkesboro Church..... Mr. J. F. Jordan
- 4:50 p. m. Historical Sketches of Churches Mrs. Albert Holman
- 4:55 p. m. Miscellaneous Business
- 5:00 p. m. Hymn
- 5:05 p. m. Special Music
- 5:10 p. m. Sermon Rev. James Weaver
- 5:35 p. m. Adjournment

MONDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 7, 1974

- 7:00 p. m. Hymn
- 7:05 p. m. Scripture, Prayer and Welcome..... Rev. Alfred Andrews
- 7:15 p. m. Treasurer's Report Mrs. Albert Holman
- Finance Committee Report Mr. Raymond Blevins
- 7:25 p. m. Mission Reports
Foreign .. Mrs. Rena Spicer
Home Mr. Harold Tedder
State..... Rev. Hunter Church
Associational..... Rev. Ralph Stanley
- 7:40 p. m. Summary of Mission Reports..... Rev. I. V. Couch
- 7:55 p. m. Noteburning
- 8:00 p. m. Hymn

8:05 p. m. Special Music Wilkesboro Baptist Church Choir
 8:15 p. m. Sermon Dr. Perry Crouch
 8:45 p. m. Adjournment

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1974
 Lewis Fork Baptist Church

9:00 a. m. Hymn
 9:05 a. m. Scripture, Prayer and Welcome Rev. Sherrill Wellborn
 9:10 a. m. History of Lewis Fork Church Mr. J. F. Jordan
 9:20 a. m. Organizational Reports
 Music Mr. Ellihu Sloan
 Baptist Men Mr. Ray Shomaker
 Woman's Missionary Union Mrs. Robert Foster
 Church Training Mrs. I. V. Couch
 Vacation Bible School Rev. Glenn Byrd
 Sunday School Mr. Bryce Greene
 9:35 a. m. General Reports
 American Bible Society Rev. Joe Crouch
 Evangelism Rev. E. W. McMurray
 General Board Mrs. I. V. Couch
 Stewardship and Cooperative Program Rev. Paul Shoupe
 Digest of Church Letters Rev. I. V. Couch
 9:50 a. m. Hymn
 9:55 a. m. Baptist Hospital Rev. Jack Boston
 Representative
 10:10 a. m. Homes for Aging Mr. Bill Sturdivant
 Representative
 10:25 a. m. Children's Homes Rev. Clyde Church
 Representative
 10:40 a. m. Break
 10:50 a. m. Hymn
 10:55 a. m. Christian Higher Education Rev. Allen Laymon
 Representative
 11:10 a. m. BIBLICAL RECORDER Mrs. Virginia Jarvis
 Representative
 11:25 a. m. Baptist Foundation Representative
 11:40 a. m. Annuity Board
 Representative
 11:55 a. m. Miscellaneous Business
 12:05 p. m. Time, Place and Preacher Report Mrs. Virginia Jarvis
 12:10 p. m. In Memoriam Rev. E. W. McMurray
 12:15 p. m. Resolutions Committee Report Mrs. Floyd Jennings
 12:20 p. m. Hymn
 12:25 p. m. Special Music
 12:30 p. m. Annual Sermon Rev. Alfred Andrews
 1:00 p. m. Adjournment and Lunch

MESSENGERS REGISTERED 1974

Pastor of church listed first in bold type

BEAVER CREEK: REV. JOE CROUCH, J. Parks Hayes, Mrs. Beatrice Hayes, C. W. Ferguson
 BETHANY: Rev. A. T. Millsaps, J. D. Costner
 BOILING SPRINGS: REV. R. A. CALL, Turner Huffman, Mrs. Rollen Bishop, Melvina Hutchinson
 CALVARY: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Eller
 CUB CREEK: REV. GLENN BYRD, Mrs. Glenn Byrd, Mrs. Robert Johnson, Mrs. Agness Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. James Carson, William Pegram
 DAVIS MEMORIAL: Annie Harris, Travis Harris, Richard Eller

EDGEWOOD: REV. FRANK WALKER, J. W. Hayes, Mrs. Dennis Brannock, Mrs. John Moore, Mrs. Clifford Moore, Ruby Anderson, Margie Walker
 ELK: REV. JAMES WEAVER, Mrs. James McNeil, E. C. Eller, Jr., Mrs. Clark McNeil
 FISHING CREEK: REV. VAUGHN BROWN, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Carlton, Mrs. Carl Miller, Lura Holland
 FRIENDLY GROVE: Ruth Faw, Mrs. Roland Englebert
 GORDON: REV. BRYCE BARTON, Mrs. Davie Osborne, Mrs. Venie Curtis
 GOSHEN: REV. DEAN DILLARD, Irene Proffit, Mrs. Ernel Hollars
 HARMONY: REV. MONROE HUFFMAN, Willard Crane, James Finney
 HINSHAW STREET: DR. W. L. PITTS, Mrs. W. L. Pitts, Everette Elledge, Sr., C. S. Welborn, Mrs. Bud Brooks, Mrs. Oma Deal, J. V. Moore
 LEWIS FORK: REV. SHERRILL WELLBORN, Charles S. Triplett, Mrs. Lessie Church, Mrs. Waldon Foster, Vernon Foster, Cecil Church
 LIBERTY GROVE: REV. PAUL SHOUBE, Jasper Chipman, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Reavis
 LITTLE ROCK: REV. CARL WALKER, Mrs. Carl Walker, Mrs. Edd Andrews, Mrs. Ruby Livingston, Pansy Munday, Mrs. Everette Griffin
 MILLERS CREEK: REV. RALPH STANLEY, Shirley Wooten, Ada Phillips, O. L. Phillips, Mary Ann Stanley, Mrs. Clate Bumgarner
 MORAVIAN FALLS: REV. E. W. McMURRAY, N. C. Teague, Wm. D. Horton, Mrs. Caney Lowe, Mrs. Perry Lowe, Sr., Rev. John McKuhen, Moravian Falls Mission
 MT. CARMEL: REV. PAUL LAWS, Bud Joines, Bob Staley
 MT. PLEASANT: REV. J. C. SHAW, Mrs. Grace Shaw, J. C. McNeil, Mrs. Mary Hartzog
 MT. ZION: Mr. and Mrs. John Barnett
 NEW HOPE: REV. HUNTER CHURCH, Russell Church, Richard Vannoy
 NORTH WILKESBORO FIRST: REV. ALLEN LAYMON, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Sturdivant, E. E. Sloan, Ray Shomaker, Mrs. Cleve Beshears, Mrs. Florence Nichols, Marjorie Caudill, Dr. John T. Wayland, William Byrd, C. B. Eller
 NORTH WILKESBORO SECOND: William Burchette, Zonia Anderson, Lucille Long
 OAK GROVE: REV. GLENN CAUDILL, Mont Nelson, Arlie Absher, Verdine Yates, Spencer Yates
 OAKWOODS: Nora Lewis, Mrs. Archie Anderson, Mrs. Glenn Anderson, John Ellis
 PILGRIM: Mrs. Kermit Whittington, Mrs. Jack Hayes
 PLEASANT HOME: REV. GWYN BLACKBURN, Mrs. Alma Blackburn, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Lovette, Mr. and Mrs. Will Adams, Mrs. Hazel Reavis, Mrs. Lillian Walker
 PURLEAR: Mr. and Mrs. Tom W. Hayes, Mrs. Howard Wingler
 ROARING RIVER: REV. MICHAEL ALMOND, Mrs. M. M. Prevette, Carol Evans
 ROCKY CREEK: REV. JACK PHILLIPS
 SHADY GROVE: REV. FLOYD MINTON, Mrs. Floyd Minton, Mr. and Mrs. William Minton
 STONY HILL: C. M. Hamby, Mae Hamby, Ella Mae Parsons, Gladys Whittington
 WALNUT GROVE: Mrs. Marvin Ashley, Delores Broyhill, Bessie Brock, Mrs. Edmond Ashley, Mrs. Henry Lowe, Mrs. Mack Brock
 WELCOME HOME: REV. CARL ELLEDGE, Mr. and Mrs. Coiet Dyer, Mrs. Chalmer Dyer, Mrs. G. L. Michael, Mrs. Libby Sloan
 WILKESBORO: REV. ALFRED ANDREWS, Margaret Andrews, Mrs. Lloyd Phillips, Lillian Foster, J. F. Jordan, Mrs. George Johnson, Mabel Priestler, Robert Triplett
 ZION HILL: Mr. and Mrs. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Osborne

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REGISTERED VISITORS FROM OUTSIDE ASSOCIATION

Dr. and Mrs. Perry Crouch, Baptist State Convention; Mr. and Mrs. J. Roy Robinson, Gardner-Webb College; Sam O'Neal, Baptist State Convention; Bill Poole, Baptist Homes for Aging; Calvin Knight, Baptist Hospital; Woodrow Hill, BIBLICAL RECORDER; Rev. Winston Barton, Cartersville, Ga.; Mace Johnson, Stone Mtn. Association; W. R. Wagoner, Children's Homes.

Proceedings

of the
ONE HUNDRED THIRD ANNUAL SESSION
of the
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
held with
WILKESBORO AND LEWIS FORK BAPTIST CHURCHES

NOTE: BOR is used in the Proceedings for the Book of Reports

1. The 103rd Annual Session of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association was called to order by the Moderator, the Reverend Gwyn R. Blackburn, at 4 p. m. on Monday, October 7, 1974 at Wilkesboro Baptist Church. The congregation sang Hymn No. 313, Baptist Hymnal, "Come Thou Fount", led by Bill Byrd; organist, Mrs. Walter Stinson.

2. Rev. Alfred Andrews, pastor of Wilkesboro Church, extended a welcome to everyone. Mr. H. C. Colvard, Jr., Chairman of Deacons of Wilkesboro Church, read scripture from I Corinthians 12 and led in prayer.

3. The Report of the Committee on Order of Business, page 1-2, BOR, was presented by Robert Triplett and adopted as printed.

4. I. V. Couch, Director of Missions, recognized new pastors in the association this year and extended a welcome to them. Dean Dillard, Goshen; Rex Shumate, Pilgrim; Phil Chapman, Pleasant Grove; Jack Phillips, Rocky Creek; Horace Moree, Walnut Grove; Carl Elledge, Welcome Home; John McKuhen, Moravian Falls Mission; William Bryd, Minister of Education, N. Wilkesboro First.

5. The Moderator appointed a Nominating Committee of: Joe Crouch, pastor of Beaver Creek Church, Chairman; Glenn Mitchell, Liberty Grove; Clate Bunn Garner, Millers Creek Church; and a Committee on Committees composed of John T. Wayland, associate pastor of N. Wilkesboro First, Chairman; Coiet Dyer, Welcome Home Church; Terry Church, Mt. Pleasant Church; Virginia Jarvis, Hinshaw Street; Irene Proffit, Goshen; Mrs. Lloyd Pardue, Wilkesboro Church.

6. The Executive Committee Report, page 6, BOR, was given by Gwyn Blackburn and moved for adoption. Adopted.

7. The Nominating Committee Report, page 3, BOR, was presented by Glenn Byrd. Moved and seconded that all nominations be accepted. Passed.

8. The Committee on Committees Report, page 5, BOR, presented by Alfred Andrews was adopted.

9. History of Wilkesboro Church, page 7, BOR, was read by J. F. Jordan, Historian. Moved and adopted as read.

10. Mrs. Albert Holman read the Historical Sketches of the Churches, page 8, BOR. Adopted as read.

11. During Miscellaneous Business, E. W. McMurray made a motion that the Constitution of the Association be up-dated and that the revisions be brought to the next annual meeting. Moved and seconded.

12. Congregational Hymn, "Stand Up, Stand Up, for Jesus".

13. Special music was presented by Eric Jennings, accompanied by Ellihu Sloan. He sang "I'll Walk With God".

14. James Weaver, pastor of Elk Church, brought an inspiring message on "God's Plan for Missions". He read Scripture from Matthew 28:18-20.

15. Adjourned for supper.

16. The evening session convened at 7 p. m. The congregation sang "Brethren We Have Met To Worship" led by Mrs. D. R. Goodnow.

17. Scripture, Prayer, and Welcome was by Alfred Andrews, pastor of Wilkesboro Church, using Responsive Reading No. 2, Baptist Hymnal.

18. Treasurer's Report, page 9, BOR, was given by Mrs. Albert Holman. Adopted.

19. The Budget, page 11, BOR, was presented by R. A. Call. Moved and seconded. John Wayland made a motion to amend the budget to include \$100 for Minister's Conference to cover expense of outside speakers. Moved, seconded, passed. I. V. Couch made a motion to amend the budget to include \$200 (\$100 for each church hosting the association and serving a meal) to help defray the expense of the meal. Motion accepted.

- The Budget, with the admendments, was adopted.
20. Foreign Missions Report, page 12, BOR, was given by Rena Spicer. Adopted.
21. Home Missions Report, page 13, BOR, was presented by I. V. Couch for Harold Tedder. Adopted as printed.
22. State Missions Report, page 13, BOR, was given by Hunter Church. Adopted.
23. The Associational Missions Report, page 15, BOR, given by Ralph Stanley and moved for adoption. Adopted.
24. Summary of Missions Reports was given by I. V. Couch.
25. Noteburning Ceremony was conducted by I. V. Couch, Director of Missions, Gwyn Blackburn, Moderator, and J. F. Jordan, Trustee, signifying that the association had paid off indebtedness on associational property. Final payment was made August 15, 1974.
26. Congregation hymn, "Onward Christian Soldiers".
27. Special music by the Wilkesboro Church Choir, directed by Mrs. D. R. Goodnow, accompanied by Mrs. Walter Stinson, organ, and Ellihu Sloan, piano.
28. The Moderator introduced Dr. and Mrs. Perry Crouch and welcomed them to the association. Dr. Crouch brought an interesting message, giving some history of Baptist. Scripture from John 15. He reminded us that next year the Cooperative Program would celebrate its 50th Anniversary. He gave three reasons for giving: Give to worship God, because God gave it to us, and Give because there are so many good things to give to.
29. Meeting adjourned until 9 a. m. Tuesday at Lewis Fork Church. Alfred Andrews, pastor, invited everyone to stay for a time of refreshments and fellowship.

SECOND DAY

30. The second day of the 103rd Annual Meeting of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association was called to order by the Moderator, Gwyn Blackburn, at 9 a. m. Tuesday, October 8, 1974, at Lewis Fork Baptist Church. The congregation sang "Holy, Holy, Holy".
31. Sherrill Wellborn, pastor of Lewis Fork Church, welcomed everyone, read Scripture from Acts 12:1-19 and led in prayer.
32. The History of Lewis Fork Church, page 16, BOR, was read by J. F. Jordan, Historian. The history was adopted as read.
33. Music Report, page 25, BOR, was presented for adoption by Ellihu Sloan.
34. I. V. Couch gave the Baptist Men's Report, page 18, BOR, for Ray Shomaker. Report adopted.
35. The Woman's Missionary Union Report, page 24, BOR, was given by Mrs. Robert Foster and moved for adoption. Second and passed.
36. Church Training Report, page 21, BOR, was given by Mrs. I. V. Couch. Adopted.
37. Vacation Bible School Report, page 14, BOR, given by Glenn Byrd was adopted.
38. The Sunday School Report, page 19, BOR, was given by I. V. Couch for Bryce Greene. He gave everyone a printed table showing the Sunday School Enrolment and average attendance for the 10 year period, 1965-74. Adopted.
39. Joe Crouch presented the American Bible Society Report, page 27, BOR. Adopted as printed.
40. E. W. McMurray gave the Evangelism Report, page 26, BOR. Adopted.
41. General Board Report, page 21, BOR, given by Mrs. I. V. Couch was adopted.
42. Stewardship and Cooperative Program Report, page 23, BOR, was given by Glenn Byrd for Paul Shoupe and adopted as printed.
43. Digest of Church Letters, page 28, BOR, was presented by I. V. Couch.
44. Congregation Hymn.
45. The Hospital Report, page 29, BOR, was adopted as printed. Representative and speaker for the hospital was Calvin Knight.
46. William Poole, Superintendent of the Homes for the Aging, spoke on the Homes.
47. Clyde Church presented the Children's Homes Report, page 22, BOR, for adoption. Speaker for the report was W. R. Wagoner, President of the Children's Homes.
48. Break.
49. Hymn, "Higher Ground".
50. Christian Higher Education Report, page 25, BOR, given by Allen Laymon was adopted. Speaker was J. Roy Robbins, Gardner-Webb College.
51. I. V. Couch recognized new pastors in the association and visitor, Winston Barton. Gwyn Blackburn recognized Mr. Arthur Bumgarner, age 91, who had attended all association annual meetings, except one, since he could remember. He was asked to stand and he received a round of applause.

52. Virginia Jarvis presented the BIBLICAL RECORDER Report, page 26, BOR, for adoption. Adopted. Woodrow Hill was the representative and speaker from the RECORDER.

53. Sam O'Neal, Director of the Annuity Program, spoke for the Baptist Foundation and the Annuity Program.

54. During the Miscellaneous Business period the motion made by E. W. McMurray during Monday's session was passed. I. V. Couch made a motion that the year 1976-77 emphasis be on Stewardship Promotion. Seconded and passed.

55. Virginia Jarvis reported for the Time, Place and Preacher Committee. They expressed appreciation to the churches hosting the association and to the pastors. The committee recommended the 104th Annual Session be: First day, October 6, 1975, Goshen Church, with the message by a representative of the State Convention; and second day, October 7, 1975, Mount Pleasant Church, with the annual sermon by Carl Elledge, Lavelle Waters, alternate.

56. In Memoriam was given by E. W. McMurray.

57. The Resolutions Committee Report was given by Mrs. Floyd Jennings and adopted.

58. Congregational Hymn "Amazing Grace".

59. Special music by Virginia Jarvis, accompanied by Ellihu Sloan, "The Ninety and Nine".

60. The Annual Sermon by Alfred Andrews, pastor of Wilkesboro Church. Scripture was taken from I John 1:3-10; topic was "Fellowship".

61. Adjourned.

62. Lunch was served by host church.

Number registered first day—180, second day—160.

Final registration for the two days showed every church represented except Cricket, Pleasant Grove and Sharon Walker, with 167 registered messengers and 78 registered visitors from the churches, and 13 visitors from outside the association, making a total of 258 registered messengers and visitors.

In Memoriam

BEAVER CREEK: Mrs. Bertha Walker, Miss Mattie Goulds

BETHANY: Mrs. Effie Hayes, Mr. Herman G. Moore, Deacon, Mr. Floyd P. Hendren, Deacon

BOILING SPRINGS: Mr. Coy Huffman

DAVIS MEMORIAL: Miss Nean Marley

ELK: Mrs. Effie Allen Wentz

FISHING CREEK: Mrs. Belle Warren, Mrs. Charlie Holland, Mr. Rickey Pardue

GORDON: Mrs. Annie Church, Mr. J. D. Church, Mr. Mont Miller, Mr. J. Don Minton

HINSHAW STREET: Mrs. Maggie Johnson, Mrs. Mae Woodruff, Mr. Roby C. Faw

LEWIS FORK: Mrs. Lillie Triplett, Mrs. Anna Walsh, Mr. Howard Church, Mr. John Knight

LIBERTY GROVE: Mr. John Brinegar

LITTLE ROCK: Miss Mary Broyhill

MORAVIAN FALLS: Mr. Ed Greer, Mr. Tom Kirby, Mrs. D. B. Davis

MT. PLEASANT: Mr. Charlie McNeil, Mr. P. Oscar Church, Deacon, Mrs. Lou Matherly, Mr. Steve Huffman

MT. ZION: Mr. Vaughn Walker

NEW HOPE: Mrs. Nora Eller, Mr. George Greer, Mr. Cicero Rector, Miss Elzora McNeil, Mrs. Ethel Faw, Mr. Glenn Vannoy, Mrs. Nettie McNeil

N. WILKESBORO FIRST: Mrs. C. B. Kemp, Mrs. Alevia Hutchinson, Mrs. Henry Rhodes, Mr. J. A. Bumgarner, Mr. Herman Wallace, Mrs. Wayne J. Foster, Mr. D. E. Elledge, Deacon, Mrs. C. M. Cope, Miss Nora Ellis, Mrs. Charles Porter, Mrs. C. B. Eller

OAK GROVE: Mr. Estel Roberts, Mrs. Mary Taylor Absher

OAKWOODS: Mrs. Paul Steele, Mrs. John R. Ellis

PILGRIM: Mr. Rommie Wilburn Huffman, Mrs. Wiley Minton

PLEASANT GROVE: Mr. Sim Bullis, Mr. Eck Church, Mrs. Clora Bumgarner, Mrs. Hessie Robertson, Mrs. Ila Adams

PLEASANT HOME: Mr. Howard McNeil, Deacon, Mrs. Emma Adams, Mrs. Viola Vannoy, Mr. Tom McNeill, Mr. Willie Bumgarner, Mrs. Angie Church Wood

PURLEAR—Mr. Lacy Huffman, Mr. Floyd Cooper
 ROARING RIVER: Mrs. Litha M. Harris, Mr. Monroe Mathis, Deacon
 ROCKY CREEK: Mrs. Cressie Greer
 SHADY GROVE: Mrs. Clara Welborn, Mr. I. C. Church
 STONY HILL: Mr. Albert Hamby
 WALNUT GROVE: Mr. Dewey Broyhill, Mrs. Mollie Carrigan
 WELCOME HOME: Mr. Frank Holland, Mrs. Sam Lankford
 WILKESBORO: Mrs. Callie Brady, Miss Pearl Bumgarner, Mr. Ray Anderson, Mrs. Zeb Davis,
 Mrs. J. M. Bumgarner, Mr. Edgar Staley, Mrs. M. D. Michael, Miss Viola Prevette, Mrs. J. R.
 Turner, Mr. James Lowe
 ZION HILL: Mr. Henry Phillips, Mrs. Pearle Caldwell, Mrs. Frances Greer

HONOR CLERKS

Marguerite Hayes	Beaver Creek
Gwyn Anderson	Calvary
Mrs. Frank Parish	Cricket
Gary Jordon	Cub Creek
Mrs. Dennis Brannock	Edgewood
Mrs. Joe Wolfe	Elk
Don Parker	Fishing Creek
Garnie Miller	Friendly Grove
Mrs. Waldon Foster	Lewis Fork
Mrs. Mary Louise Canter	Millers Creek
Wayne Phillips	New Hope
Mrs. James Harvel	N. Wilkesboro First
Mrs. Jackie Parsons	Oak Grove
Mrs. Olin Foster	Pilgrim
Jerry Hamby	Pleasant Grove
Judy Huffman	Purlear
Charlotte Reavis	Roaring River
Christine Walker	Shady Grove
Burl Ritch	Sharon Walker
Mrs. Grace Whittington	Stony Hill
Mrs. Marvin Ashley	Walnut Grove
Chalmer Dyer	Welcome Home
Robert Triplett	Wilkesboro
Earle German	Zion Hill

I would like to thank every clerk in the association for very well-completed letters.

Mrs. Albert Holman, Associational Clerk

HISTORICAL SKETCHES OF CHURCHES

BETHANY—Picnic table and shelter
 CRICKET—Ordained Lloyd Pardue to the ministry
 CALVARY—Ordained Randy Osborne for ministry
 ELK—10% of total income to be given: a. 7% to Cooperative Program b. 3% to Brushy Mountain Baptist Association; Brotherhood organized—Youth Bible class organized
 FISHING CREEK—Annual Homecoming in August
 FRIENDLY GROVE—Church air-conditioned, parking lot paved. Ordained Mr. Grady Roark and Mr. Melvin Roten as deacons
 HINSHAW STREET—Built a double carport and an extra room onto the pastorium
 LEWIS FORK—Ordained Rex Foster for the ministry
 LITTLE ROCK—Renovation of sanctuary, including baptistry, choir loft and air-conditioning
 MILLERS CREEK—Dedication new educational building 10-7-73. Paved parking lot. New piano and furnished new church office

MT. CARMEL—Bricked church and educational building, added stained glass windows, started building fellowship hall

MT. PLEASANT—Enlarged vestibule and new steps to entrance of church

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, NORTH WILKESBORO—Demolition of the Old Sanctuary of the First Baptist Church was completed in February, 1974. The corner lot was landscaped and seeded. There are no future plans at this time

This building was built with great financial difficulty during hard times but played a major role in the religious life of North Wilkesboro. According to documents found in the corner stone, which was recently removed, the building was built for a total cost of \$7,586, not including the foundation. The cost of demolition was approximately \$6,000.

OAK GROVE—Installed carpet in auditorium, installed air-conditioning, bought new piano and carpet sweeper, licensed Hobert Jones to preach

PILGRIM—Built educational building with fellowship hall, kitchen and 6 class rooms. Licensed Frank Cooper; called Rex Shumate as pastor, July 1974

PLEASANT HOME—Repainted church and pastorium, erected new outdoor bulletin board, new lights in Sunday School rooms and carpeted Sunday School rooms and vestibule. Cushioned the pews

ROARING RIVER—Installed air-conditioning in sanctuary and class rooms, installed road sign. Survey work. Built study, new cabinet tops, refinished cabinets kitchen and bathroom in parsonage

SHADY GROVE: Added storm windows. Licensed Hubert Lee Bullis for ministry

WALNUT GROVE—Air-conditioned sanctuary and five rooms at a cost of \$3,652

ZION HILL—Purchased bus. Called Craig Little as Minister of Music

TREASURER'S REPORT 1973-74

(September 1, 1973—August 31, 1974)

	MISSION SUPPORT	DEBT RET.	TOTAL RECEIPTS
BEAVER CREEK	\$ 502.37		\$ 502.37
BETHANY	518.47		518.47
BOILING SPRINGS	200.00	46.41	246.41
CALVARY	50.00	80.00	130.00
CRICKET	-0-		-0-
CUB CREEK	435.00		435.00
DAVIS MEMORIAL	-0-		-0-
EDGEWOOD	75.00		75.00
ELK	145.86		145.86
FISHING CREEK	700.00		700.00
FRIENDLY GROVE	-0-		-0-
GORDON	* 30.00		* 30.00
GOSHEN	60.00		60.00
HARMONY	-0-		-0-
HINSHAW STREET	755.25		755.25
LEWIS FORK	177.50		177.50
LIBERTY GROVE	422.50		422.50
LITTLE ROCK	339.00	150.00	489.00
MILLERS CREEK	1,021.25		1,021.25
MORAVIAN FALLS	355.00		355.00
MOUNT CARMEL	-0-		-0-
MOUNT PLEASANT	330.00		330.00
MOUNT ZION	-0-	85.00	85.00
NEW HOPE	150.00		150.00
N. WILKESBORO FIRST	3,226.68	128.25	3,354.93
N. WILKESBORO SECOND	60.00		60.00
OAK GROVE	120.00		120.00
OAKWOODS	360.00		360.00
PILGRIM	200.00		200.00

PLEASANT GROVE	-0-		-0-
PLEASANT HOME	230.00		230.00
PURLEAR	60.00		60.00
ROARING RIVER	84.00		84.00
ROCKY CREEK	-0-		-0-
SHADY GROVE	-0-		-0-
SHARON WALKER	-0-		-0-
STONY HILL	50.00		50.00
WALNUT GROVE	300.00	200.00	500.00
WELCOME HOME	110.00	150.00	260.00
WILKESBORO	3,200.00		3,200.00
ZION HILL	189.35		189.35
TOTAL	\$14,457.23	\$839.66	\$15,296.89
ANNUALS (from churches)			861.00
STATE MISSIONS			1,550.00
TAX REFUND			49.67
INDIVIDUALS			115.00
WORLD MISSION CONFERENCE (from churches)			2,923.25
SEMINARY EXTENSION			189.00
CAMPS			160.00
MONEY ON HAND, SEPT. 1, 1973			1,830.63
GRAND TOTAL RECEIPTS			<u>\$22,980.44</u>

(*Gift by individual but credited to church)

EXPENDITURES 1973-74

MISSIONARY'S		PARSONAGE/OFFICE INS.	\$ 284.00
Salary	\$5,200.00	DEBT RETIREMENT	993.69
Auto Allowance	2,000.00	ANNUALS	589.18
Hospital Ins.	640.67	CLERK	75.00
Life Insurance	180.00	TREASURER	75.00
Retirement Benefits	520.00	ORGANIZATIONAL	
Annuity	520.08	PROMOTIONS	163.20
Convention	340.00	MISCELLANEOUS	4.00
			<u>\$15,965.39</u>
OFFICE		OTHER EXPENDITURES	
Help	1,800.00	World Mission Conference	2,923.25
Supplies	819.62	Seminary Extension	189.00
Utilities	545.04	Camps	125.15
Upkeep	280.79	S. S. Workers, Ridgecrest	147.45
		(approved by Exec. Comm.)	
		Debt Retirement (Special)	804.66
PARSONAGE			
Utilities	900.00	TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$20,154.90
Upkeep	35.12	BALANCE AUGUST 31, 1974	\$ 2,825.54

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Albert Holman

BRUSHY MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION BUDGET 1974-75

	1973-74 Budget	1974-75 Proposed
ANTICIPATED INCOME		
Gifts from churches including special offerings	\$14,992.00	\$18,602.84

Annual Fund	835.00	861.00
State Missions	1,080.00	1,500.00
TOTAL ANTICIPATED INCOME	\$16,907.00	\$20,963.84
ANTICIPATED EXPENDITURES		
Missionary's Salary	\$ 5,200.00	\$ 5,820.00
Missionary's Retirement, Soc. Sec.	520.00	520.00
Missionary's Automobile Allowance	2,000.00	2,000.00
Missionary's Hospital Insurance	627.00	791.04
Missionary's Life Insurance	180.00	240.00
Missionary's Annuity	520.00	520.00
Debt Retirement	1,550.00	-0-
Office Supplies	850.00	1,000.00
Office Help	1,800.00	2,204.80
Office Utilities	560.00	650.00
Office Upkeep	300.00	300.00
Parsonage Utilities	900.00	900.00
Parsonage & Office Insurance	275.00	284.00
Parsonage Upkeep	100.00	100.00
Annuals	675.00	675.00
Convention and Conferences	400.00	400.00
Associational Clerk	75.00	75.00
Associational Treasurer	75.00	75.00
Organizational Promotions	250.00	375.00
Vacation Bible School		100.00
Miscellaneous	50.00	350.00
Audio-Visuals		284.00
Repairs of Associational Property		3,000.00
Ministers Conference		100.00
Annual Meeting Expense		200.00
TOTAL ANTICIPATED EXPENDITURES	\$16,907.00	\$20,963.84

The above proposed 1974-75 Budget was adopted at a meeting of the Finance Committee, Monday, August 26, 1974. It reflects a 12% increase for our missionary which includes salary, retirement, hospital and life insurance and annuity. Also included for the new year is a \$3,000 item for building repairs which is to be raised through special offerings from the churches and is included in the anticipated income as such. If there are any questions, please call me.

The Budget was amended to include \$100 for Ministers Conference and \$200 for expenses of churches hosting annual meeting (\$100 to each church serving a meal).

Respectfully submitted,	
Raymond Blevins, Chairman	Rev. R. A. Call
Rev. Vaughn Brown	Rev. Carl Walker
Mr. Curtis Greene	Mr. Wayne Greer

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

The Executive Committee of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association met for three regular meetings, not having a quorum for the August meeting.

At the meeting November 5, 1973, there were 27 present, representing 17 churches. It was moved and seconded that all the churches participating in the World Missions Conference give a minimum of \$160 which would take care of the missionary's travel and lodging. Motion carried. Churches participating were: Bethany, Boiling Springs, Cub Creek, Fishing Creek, Goshen, Harmony, Hinshaw, Little Rock, Millers Creek, Moravian Falls, Mt. Pleasant, New Hope, N. Wilkesboro First, Pleasant Home, Welcome Home, Wilkesboro, Zion Hill, and Davis Memorial. Rev. I. V. Couch made a motion to use \$250 in the budget designated, "organizational promotions", in the World Missions Conference if needed. The motion was seconded and passed.

Rev. Ralph Stanley, Chairman of the Missions Committee, presented for approval an ap-

plication for state aid. The application was approved.

In the February 11, 1974 meeting, there were 23 present, representing 15 churches. Rev. E. W. McMurray made a motion that in view of a long range program of evangelism, an invitation be extended to Rev. Jimmy Hinson of the Department of Evangelism, to come and lead us in a school of evangelism in the spring of 1976. The motion was seconded and passed. It was moved and seconded that 1974-75 be designated as a year of training church leaders. As a part of this program of training, Sunday School workers would be sent to Ridgecrest with expenses paid. Motion carried.

At the May 6, 1974, with 15 present, representing 10 churches, the Missions Committee made the following recommendation: That the Associational Properties Committee seek to determine what needs to be done to the interior and the exterior of the associational property. After determining the cost to recommend what should be done and report to the Executive Committee. It was also suggested that we take an offering on August 18, being the Week of Prayer for Associational Missions, to help defray the cost of the above. A motion was made and seconded. Rev. Alfred Andrews amended the motion to give the properties committee the authority to go ahead and get the needed improvements done. After discussion, motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,
Gwyn Blackburn, Moderator

HISTORY OF WILKESBORO BAPTIST CHURCH

Whereas the history of this church was written in 1953 and recorded in the associational minutes of that year on pages 20 to 24, and a second sketch of history in the 1970 minutes on pages 45 to 47, further reference to that period will not be mentioned.

Highlights of 1971: Baptist Men's Day was observed on January 24 with laymen of the church in charge. Speaker was Mr. Sam Levering from Orchard Gap, Virginia. February 14 was Race Relations Sunday with guest speaker, Rev. Richard Harris. April 18 was observed as Youth Week. Mrs. I. V. Couch, Minister of Education presented the key of the church to Steve Triplett who would serve as youth pastor. May 23, the church presented a silver service to Rev. and Mrs. Morgan in appreciation of 15 years service to the church. December 12, the church voted to borrow \$5000 for church improvements, to include carpet in the hall, Dorcas classroom, lower church building and enclosure of stairway.

January 23, 1972, Baptist Men's Day was observed with Dr. W. Raymond Taylor of the University of North Carolina, as speaker. March 26, Hillcrest Baptist Mission was organized into a Missionary Baptist Church. Members of the correlating committee were: W. G. Young, Chairman; J. F. Jordan, Secretary; Troy Absher, Thomas Nunn, Rudd Waddell, George Johnson and Rev. Henry Morgan, Ex officio. Rev. Morgan read the rules of organization and Rev. I. V. Couch brought the sermon. On May 28, the church was privileged to have Samuel James, a Southern Baptist missionary to South Vietnam, as speaker at the morning and evening service.

August 20, 1972, Henry Morgan resigned as pastor, effective September 30, to accept a call as pastor of Salem Baptist Church, Apex, N. C. On September 24, the members of the church presented the keys to a new Oldsmobile to Rev. and Mrs. Morgan. T. Sloan Guy, of Wake Forest University and former pastor, was elected to serve as interim pastor.

February 5, 1973, a covered dish supper was given by the trustees, deacons and members of the church for Rev. and Mrs. Alfred Andrews of Hickory, prospective pastor for the church. Rev. Andrews was called as pastor on March 11 (276 for and none against). He and his family moved into the parsonage on May 1, and he preached his first sermon on May 6.

November 25, 1973, the church voted (on recommendation from the Board of Deacons) to purchase the Pearl Bumgarner property from the heirs for the sum of \$23,750 and, if necessary, to use the 432 shares in Lowes Hardware stocks to pay for the property. December 9, Kyle Hayes was elected as a church trustee and Mrs. Kenneth Reynolds as Librarian.

Deacons ordained since 1970: Ernest Cotton and Carl Triplett, September 25, 1971; Howard Colvard, Jr. and James Ward, September 17, 1972; Robert Parsons and Robert Morgan, August 26, 1973.

June 9, 1974 the church voted (on recommendation from the Board of Deacons) that the number of active deacons be increased from 15 to 18. In July, the church voted to buy two Dodge Vans to use as activity buses.

Respectfully submitted,
J. F. Jordan, Historian

FOREIGN MISSION REPORT

Great and good accomplishments are happening on the mission fields! Many of you learned of these things in March when our association participated in a World Mission Conference, when missionaries from different areas of work spoke in 18 churches and to over 2,000 school boys and girls.

The Southern Baptist Convention Annual for 1973 shows 2,500 career missionaries under appointment along with 174 missionary associates and 128 journeymen.

"Southern Baptist Missions stands at an all time high" according to Executive Secretary of the Foreign Mission Board, Baker James Cauthen. In April '74, in THE COMMISSION, he reported there are now 6,907 organized churches, (5,207 self-supporting) on the boards mission fields, plus 8,934 mission points, and 5,884 national pastors. Baptisms reached an all time high of 61,151. Dr. Cauthen also reported more than 500 schools, with combined enrollment in excess of 85,000. Medical work extended care to 63,207 in-patients and more than one million out-patients.

Lottie Moon 1973 Christmas Offerings for Foreign Missions reached the total of \$22,232,757. A rise of 13% over the '72 offering. Southern Baptist foreign mission efforts are supported financially by two major channels: the Cooperative Program and the Lottie Moon Offering. Gifts from the churches of the Brushy Mountain Association totaled \$15,347 in 1973.

Goal for the 1974 Lottie Moon Offering has been set at \$23 million as announced by WMU Executive Secretary, Alma Hunt. The offering is sponsored annually by the WMU in connection with the Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions in Southern Baptist churches. The Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions in 1974 will be observed December 1-8.

Of the record \$40 million Cooperative Program budget adopted by Southern Baptist Convention for 1974-75 fiscal year, \$36 million is for the operating expenses of the convention agencies. The Foreign Mission Board is to receive fifty percent.

The Foreign Mission Board has responded to needs created by spreading famine conditions in Africa with an appropriation of over \$30 thousand in relief funds. The famine area includes parts of several countries where Southern Baptist missionaries serve.

To really keep in touch with what you and other Southern Baptists are doing, may I encourage you to obtain and read the monthly publications of THE COMMISSION (\$2.50) and WORLD MISSION JOURNAL (\$2.00), both for less than \$5 per year.

The field is the World and the mission is One!

Respectfully submitted,
Rena Spicer

HOME MISSION REPORT

"Crossing Barriers with the Gospel"

Some 4,000 persons, including full-time, part-time and volunteer workers, are helping meet the challenge of the times. The Board's missionary force totaled 2,170 at the year's end, and the balance was comprised of students and volunteers. Missionaries are active in all 50 states, Panama and Puerto Rico. The Board pays the full support of about one-third of them and shares in the support of the others with the state conventions. Record Cooperative Program and Annie Armstrong Easter Offerings will enable enlargement of the missionary force and strengthening of all programs.

The Division of Evangelism got a new director during the year, C. B. "Bill" Hogue, who came to the Board after two years as state director of evangelism in Oklahoma. The division was also reorganized to provide emphasis to lifestyle concerns—lay witnessing, mass evangelism and materials and services—and make them more available where they are needed.

The emphasis on strategy planning—leading each association to be a "fellowship of churches on mission in their setting"—continued to dominate the work of the Division of Associational Services in 1973. Three strategy-planning seminars were held during the year with more than 100 of the nation's 750 superintendents of missions attending and three state conventions were assisted with associational planning awareness conferences. Much of the focus of the division has been on preparation for the National Convocation on the Southern Baptist Association which attracted representatives from most of the 1,200 associations to Ridgcrest in May, 1974.

The increasing participation of lay persons in missions was undergirded by the naming of the first director of the Christian Service Corps. William L. Wilson, a volunteer himself, became an unsalaried staff member in the Department of Special Mission Ministries and is giving half of his time to enlisting lay people for short term and long term assignments. He is building a network of Christian Service Corps coordinators throughout the states.

Respectfully submitted,
Harold Tedder

STATE MISSIONS REPORT

The churches are on mission to people under the Lordship of Christ—Matthew 28:19-20; Acts 1:8. Churches in a cooperative plan express their mission beyond the local congregation. State Missions is interrelated by planning and financing with associations, the State Convention, Home and Foreign Mission Boards. There is a ministry of State Missions expressed in evangelism through the local church, youth rallies, summer ministries, Church Programs, and Stewardship promotion. State Missions is Christian Social Service expressed through institutions. State Missions is churches expressing a positive interest in Christian Education.

State Missions is a multiplicity of special ministries too big for any one local church. These ministries to areas of need may be altogether supported by State Missions budgeting, or a cooperative budgeting arrangement of the local church, the association, the State Convention, and the Home Mission Board. Such specialized ministries include work at Cherokee and Pembroke, promotion and coordination of World Mission Conferences, supplement to associational budgets, support of part-time Chaplaincies in several correctional institutions, assistance in witnessing to and enlisting for service Orientals and Spanish speaking peoples. A specialized ministry to the deaf includes evangelising, teaching and counselling the deaf.

Also included is a cooperative plan for Seminary Extension and a rapidly growing Resort Ministry. Fruitland Baptist Institute is an area of State Missions. Our cities need Baptist Centers and other expressions of Christian social and evangelistic concern. State Missions continues a specialized ministry with other races and promotes and supports a vigorous inner city ministry.

State Missions serves the pastor and local church. New churches are encouraged by loans and grants of lot aid. Needy churches are given financial aid until they can become self-supporting. Pastors are directly helped through Annuity supplements. State Missions is a cooperative ministry to churches that need help and to people who need God.

Respectfully submitted,
Hunter Church

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

The Brushy Mountain Baptist Association sent 11 workers to the State VBS Clinic at Wingate College, January 7-9, 1974. A Show and Tell Workshop was held at Millers Creek Baptist Church on February 25, at which time the Vacation Bible School materials were presented to the pastors and VBS Directors.

The annual Vacation Bible School Clinic was held at the Wilkesboro Baptist Church on May 2. There were 22 churches represented by 151 people.

Thirty-five churches conducted Vacation Bible Schools with an enrollment of 3018. (For VBS enrollment of each church see "Digest of Church Letters".)

Respectfully submitted,
Glenn Byrd

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

Believing that cooperation of churches through the association was important for the development of the churches and the spread of the gospel to the ends of the earth, several years ago our association began correlating its work through a Superintendent of Missions. For the past four years this work has been under the direction of Rev. I. V. Couch assisted by Mrs. Albert Holman, office secretary.

Each month the Director of Missions makes a report to the Chairman of the Missions Com-

mittee and the State Baptist Convention. All are aware that complete activities in the association cannot be listed on a form sheet, but the digest of these reports will give an idea of his activities during the year.

We, the Missions Committee, take great pride in presenting our report.

Messages in churches	40	V. B. S. Conference, Wingate	1
Visits to churches	50	Worked in V. B. S.	2
Ministers Conferences	8	Reach-Out Clinics	3
Executive Promotion Committee	3	Spoke to G. A.'s, Millers Creek on	
Missions Committee	4	Cooperative Program	1
Conferences, Individual	72	Directors of Missions Conf., Fruitland	1
Committee Meetings	21	Revival, Oakdale, Rocky Mount	1
Associational Promotion		Region 7 Directors of Missions	
Meetings	12	Fellowship	3
Assoc. General Meetings	2	Funerals conducted	2
Denominational causes		Hospital visits	29
presented in churches	45	January Bible Study taught	3
Radio Programs promoting		Mission Studies	2
Baptist work	51	Spoke in First Baptist, B St. (black)	1
Promoted Mission Advance Week-		Southern Baptist Convention, Dallas	
end in churches	31	Day Camp	1
Spoke in special services	3	Dad and Lad Camp	1
Attended state meetings	9	Worked in church survey	2
Meetings in other associations	4	Prepared Christmas dinner for	
Directed Church Training Leader-		ministers	1
ship Conf., Catawba River Assn.	2		
World Mission Conference,			
Yancey Association	1	The Director of Missions traveled	
Promoted World Mission Conf.		12,130 miles.	
in association churches	18		
Assoc. V. B. S. Meetings	3		

Respectfully submitted,
 Ralph Stanley, Chairman

HISTORY OF LEWIS FORK BAPTIST CHURCH

Whereas the history of this church was written in 1952 and recorded in the associational minutes of that year on pages 38 to 43, nothing further will be said with reference to that period.

In April, 1954, partition doors were purchased for Sunday School rooms and in September a building fund was started for purchasing an oil heating system and to build additional educational space. (The oil furnace was installed in 1956)

In August, 1955, a committee composed of Com Elledge, Calvin Church and J. M. Shepherd was appointed to work with Reins-Sturdivant to lay off and plot the new part of the cemetery and line up the old part.

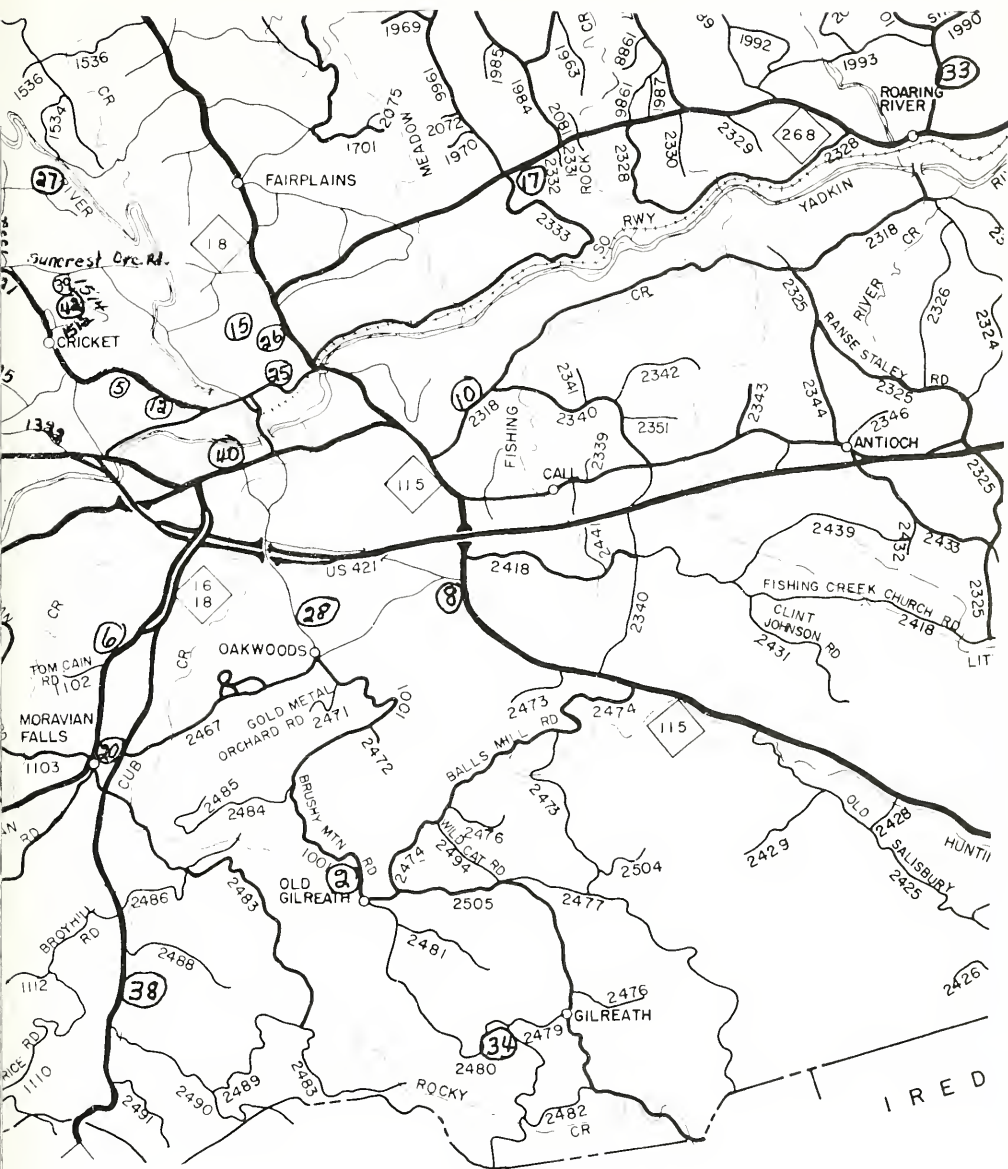
February 4, 1956, the church voted to start a library and a committee composed of Mrs. Grace Triplett, Mrs. Arlee Dyer and Mrs. Ruth Goforth was elected to choose the books. At this writing the church has an active library with Miss Velma Golds serving as librarian.

On March 3, 1956, a deed of one acre of land was presented to the church by Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Elledge to be used for parking space.

January 30, 1957, a board of trustees was elected composed of Olin Greene, Vernon Dyer, Vernon Foster, Reuben Sales and Mack Triplett. December, 1958, the church accepted the resignation of Mrs. W. P. Davis as treasurer, and James Triplett was elected treasurer in January, 1959. A contract was let in March for the painting of the auditorium.

On March 18, 1962, by motion it was decided to build additional Sunday School rooms by grading under the church but in September the motion was rescinded. It was decided to build the rooms at the back of the existing building and have a well drilled (May 1963). The new addition was completed in 1965, and the remaining bills on the construction were paid from the general treasury (to be replaced from regular building fund offerings).

February, 1963, the pastor, Rev. A. W. Eller, tendered his resignation to take effect May 1. A



Mt. Pleasant
 Mt. Zion
 New Hope
 N. Wilkesboro First
 N. Wilkesboro Second
 Oak Grove
 Oakwoods

29 Pilgrim
 30 Pleasant Grove
 31 Pleasant Home
 32 Purlear
 33 Roaring River
 34 Rocky Creek
 35 Shady Grove

36 Sharon Walker
 37 Stony Hill
 38 Walnut Grove
 39 Welcome Home
 40 Wilkesboro
 41 Zion Hill
 42 Assoc. Office

pulpit committee was appointed as follows: Mack Triplett, Olin Greene, Vernon Dyer, Travis Eller and Curtis Foster. On March 17, 1963, the committee recommended Glenn Huffman as pastor. He was elected unanimously. A motion was passed that the call of a pastor be indefinite.

August 31, 1968, C. H. Jones resigned as clerk and Mrs. Edith Foster was elected to serve as clerk. The windows in the sanctuary were replaced with stained glass windows.

May 18, 1969, the church voted to go full time, and on July 5, 1969 the pastor tendered his resignation to take effect the end of the year. The following were appointed to serve on a pulpit committee: Olin Greene, Montie McNeill, Vernon Dyer, Tony Eller and Helen Blackburn. Rev. N. C. Teague served as interim pastor during the time the church was without a pastor.

February 7, 1971, Rev. Sherrill Wellborn was recommended to the church as pastor. The church voted to call Rev. Wellborn as pastor (106 for and none against). He accepted the call and preached his first sermon, Sunday morning, April 18. During 1971, the sanctuary was air-conditioned, speaker system installed and additional parking space graded and paved.

Highlights of 1972: The educational building was completely air-conditioned; the church bought two 1973 Dodge Vans to use as church buses in a bus ministry; Rex Foster, Wayne Adams and Johnny Adams were licensed to preach; and on November 26 the church voted to buy a house partially completed to use as a parsonage. The house was completed and the pastor and his family moved in June, 1973.

April, 1973, the church voted to buy one acre of land from Keiver Adkins for \$2000, to use for parking area. In June, a piano was donated by Cecil Church and \$500 was donated by Olin Greene toward the purchase of the organ.

January, 1974, the church donated one hundred and fifty dollars to the Champion Fire Department. A request was granted from Stony Fork Baptist Church to ordain Brother Rex Foster as a Baptist minister. January 20, Brother James Triplett, chairman of the examining committee, made the report that Rex Foster was found in faith of Baptist doctrines and recommended him to be ordained. The presbytery consisted of ordained deacons and ministers. Rev. Sherrill Wellborn gave the charge reading from second Timothy 4:1. Rev. Mace Johnson brought the charge to the church. Ordination prayer by Earl Adams. After the laying on of hands, the right hand of welcome as an ordained minister of the gospel was extended to him.

Deacons ordained since 1952: Olin Greene, Vernon Dyer, Mack Triplett, Ray Miller, Raynard Goforth and Vernon Foster, October 16, 1960. Bob Wood, Tony Eller, Deamus Goulds, Frank Eller, Avery Triplett, Albert Holman and Cecil Church, February 13, 1972.

September 8, 1974, the church voted on building plans for additional Sunday School rooms, fellowship hall, and other improvements. Cecil Church was appointed to replace Reuben Sales on the Board of Trustees.

The church has a membership of 466, with a Sunday School enrollment of 325 and an average attendance of 245.

This church has displayed a liberal Christian spirit in giving many good gifts to the late Rev. A. W. Eller. It has also displayed a liberal spirit in giving to its members and others when in need.

Respectfully submitted,
J. F. Jordan, Historian

TRUSTEES REPORT

The trustees beg leave to make the following report on the association parsonage, office and land purchased on October, 1955, as follows:

Quality Builders Supply—\$13.27
Vannoy and Lankford Plumbing—\$7.08
Orkin Exterminating Company—\$25.00

Respectfully submitted,
J. F. Jordan
Dr. Hal Hawkins
W. K. Sturdivant

SCHOOL OF CHRISTIAN STUDIES REPORT

We only had one class this year. Some of us feel that the fuel shortage had something to do with this. The one course we had was THE LIFE OF CHRIST taught by Paul Shoupe. Those attending were: Robert Dancy, Jimmy Brown, Hugh Hayes, Virginia Jarvis, Tommy Faw, Glenn Byrd, Troy Absher, Gwyn Blackburn, Claude Hincer, Elsie Welborn, Floyd Coffey, R. A. Call, Harden Shumate and Rex Eldreth.

We (the committee) feel that we should have more people interested in these courses of study. What better thing can a Christian do than pray and study God's Word. If we are not enriched in this manner, then as far as I am concerned, what we do is "like so much wind on a dusty street!" We are hoping to have more in attendance this coming year. Our school will start sometime in February.

We were all blessed in the study this year as we studied together.

Respectfully submitted,
Paul Shoupe

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

The Brotherhood was involved in two projects during the year. The first project was the Day Camp for third graders on May 18 at the County Exposition Barn. There were about 45 boys and girls attending the camp. Our R. A. Director, Rev. Lavelle Waters was in charge of the refreshments. We feel this is a good ministry and look forward to working together next year.

The second project was the Dad and Lad Camp, which was an overnight camp, May 24 and 25. This was the first time for this type of project. The attendance was 52 men and boys coming together for a time of inspiration and fellowship. The camp was such a joy to those in attendance, we plan to have another one in the spring of 1975.

The WMU and the Brotherhood had their first joint meeting at Wilkesboro Church, April 29. The attendance of the men was not what we had hoped for, but believe it was worth promoting again.

The Brotherhood took a great interest in the World Mission Conference and helped wherever possible.

Our organization for the coming year will be enlarged to give us two workers in R. A. work, one to work with Crusaders and one with Pioneers.

Respectfully submitted,
Ray Shomaker

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

This has been a year of marking time in our associational Sunday School. We had hoped to accomplish something in the name of progress, but our most promising accomplishment has been in the area of training our associational workers.

We are thankful for the aid of Rev. I. V. Couch who planned and arranged for this training. Those workers who attended Ridgecrest and trained in their own areas were: Mr. Lee Church, Adults; Mrs. Lee Church, Youth; Mrs. Glenn Byrd, Pre-school; and Rev. E. W. McMurray, Children. Also attending were Rev. I. V. Couch and Bryce Greene in Sunday School leadership.

We are thankful to these people who laid aside their private jobs and lives for a week in order to learn to help our associational Sunday School department. The value of this training can only be measured by our 41 churches acceptance of these leaders help.

We can never be thankful enough for the good job being done by Rev. Glenn Byrd in our Vacation Bible School work. To him and his many workers, we offer our thanks for their good efforts.

The acceptance of "Reachout", a program urging churches to take a census and establish a visitation program, has not been well received in our association. A good program is necessary in our churches if we are to grow and lead people who are lost to Christ.

To anyone whose name we have omitted, it was not done intentionally and we offer proper

thanks to all who have had a part in Sunday School work this year. We urge you to continue even harder this next year. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,
Bryce Green, S. S. Director

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

The Southern Baptist Convention Annuity Board paid out a record nearly \$16 million in retirement and protection benefits during 1973. This means that in the Board's history, it has now paid out over \$100 million in retirement and protection benefits. More than 9,000 retired pastors and other church-related vocational workers or their widows receive the benefits.

In addition, the Annuity Board set another record. This one was for funds held in trust for those participating in retirement and protection plans while still in active service. About 38,000 pastors, other church staff and denominational agency employees are included. Funds held in trust exceeded \$350 million for the first time.

The Board issued another 13th check for annuitants shortly before Christmas, 1973. It amounted to two extra months' worth of benefits and totaled \$1,187,379. The 13th check helps annuitants, whose benefits are fixed, to meet the rising cost of living. Payment of the 13th check is over and above the 12 contracted monthly benefits and depends from year to year on investment income.

STATISTICAL HIGHLIGHTS, 1973

RETIREMENT PLANS:		TOTAL MEMBERS	INSURANCE		TOTAL MEMBERS
Plan A (churches-agencies)		25,748	Health Insurance		16,820
Plan B (churches-agencies)		15,475	Group Life (churches)		7,399
Plan C (churches-agencies)		5,521	Group Life (agencies)		14,892
			*Life Benefit Plan		4,105
			*Closed to new members		
Total Benefits Paid (retirement)		\$15,506,663			
Relief Benefits		\$ 189,742			
Relief Recipients		405			

GENERAL BOARD REPORT

Between sessions of the Baptist State Convention, the General Board has charge and control of all work of the Convention except the activities designated to the Boards of Trustees of its institutions and agencies. It is composed of one member from associations with less than 20,000 membership; two members from associations with membership of 20,000—40,000; three members from associations with more than 40,000 membership and one from each of the ten regions.

The General Board meets three times a year: at Raleigh in January, on a college campus in June or July, and at Caraway in October. In cases of emergency, other meetings could be called.

Officers of the Board are President, Vice-President and Recording Secretary. Each member of the Board is given a choice of the committee through which he will serve. The committees are: Council on Christian Life (on which Region 7's member, Rev. Allen Laymon served), Christian Higher Education, Evangelism, Church Programs, Missions and Social Services. For the sake of efficiency, from these committees are formed many sub-committees. Your Brushy Mountain member this past year was privileged to be secretary for the Church Programs Committee, Chairman of Church Ministries and Training, secretary for Camps and Assemblies and secretary for the Caswell Committee. She attended the January Board meeting, the March Church Programs meeting (both in Raleigh) the May Caswell Committee at Caswell and the August Camps and Assemblies meeting at Caraway. All Board members are sent copies of Executive Committee Minutes. A policy of openness is practiced by the General Board. All minutes of the Executive Committee and the General Board are kept in an official record book in the Baptist Building and are open for examination by any member of a participating church upon request.

Due to change in work, your Board member's resignation was effective September 15.

Brushy Mountain Association received its requested amount of \$1,500 from the Convention this year.

The opportunity to serve is appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. I. V. Couch

CHURCH TRAINING REPORT

Church Training, in addition to its on-going training sessions, has expanded its ministries to include the training of Church Committees, Deacons, Family Life Ministries, Youth Corps, Ministry to the Mentally Retarded and Ministry to Senior Citizens. The on-going training program calls for training church members to undergird the total church ministry. It offers new converts and transfer members an opportunity to better understand their commitment and the work of their own church. Important to the progress of any church is its challenge to discover, recruit and train leaders for their specific tasks.

Less than half the churches of our association offers this training program. This lack of trained leadership and a hesitancy to serve when approached by the Church Nominating Committee, could point to the immediate need for specific training.

Some of the activities of Church Training in our association last year included January Bible Study by age groups on Sunday evenings, Missions Organizations, Adult Seminars and short-term committee training sessions.

Like all other organizations this past year, Church Training offered its funds and support to the World Missions Conference which was the emphasis for the year.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. I. V. Couch

CHILDREN'S HOMES REPORT

Christian child care, a shared adventure, is working through faith to build a helping relationship with children and their families in need.

This year the recreation and administration buildings at Broyhill Home are almost completed. A cottage and two staff residences at Kennedy Home will soon be dedicated. A challenge gift of \$100,000 has been received to develop the Greer-Burris Home at Chapel Hill.

"The Mountain Within", a thirty minute film was made to tell the story of the Children's Homes. Since it was shown in the Piedmont Area Conference, September 12, and after statewide telecasts, it will be released for showings at churches, associations, and other interested groups, October 1, through the Department of Communications, P. O. Box 26508, Raleigh, N. C. 27611.

Mills Home provides high quality care for over two hundred school age children. Wall Home is pioneering in an outdoor high adventure program for teenage boys. An emergency Care Home opened in Burlington, May 21, and in Charlotte in late summer which are cooperative ventures with Mt. Zion and Mecklenburg Associations to take care of local emergencies.

During the past year, North Carolina Baptists gave more than a million dollars to Christian child care in the North Carolina Baptist Children's Homes through the Cooperative Program, the Thanksgiving offering, and designated gifts and offerings. Rising costs and the need for expanding services challenge all of us—staff and supporters—to continue our investment in the shared adventure of Christian child care.

Respectfully submitted,
Clyde Church

BAPTIST FOUNDATION REPORT

The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc. was established in 1919 to give sound support and a firm base to all the good and noble efforts of North Carolina Baptists in their state and world programs of missions, ministry and education.

While we give a great deal of attention to the preparation and execution of wills, we would

remind you that a foundation is for the living. The whole concept of wills—the distribution of one's property when he dies—is predicted on the assumption that someone continues to live.

Often we are reminded. "You can't take it with you," but we should not forget that "You can determine what happens to it when you are gone." In the modern maze of tax law, the North Carolina Baptist Foundation may be able to assist the living to live more securely. Some form of trusts may actually give a person more spendable income, even as he gives away part of his money. Our government of, by and for the people has established tax laws which encourage charitable contributions. The North Carolina Baptist Foundation is, itself, a charitable institution. It also receives, holds in trust and distributes funds to any other charitable institution according to the instructions of donors.

Service to the living includes handling of trust funds, estate and money management planning, and preparation of wills. Commitment to the deceased includes probate of wills and qualifying as executor. Increasing numbers of North Carolina Baptists are electing to provide for Baptist causes through the ministry of the Foundation. For more information contact Edwin S. Coates, P. O. Box 26508, Raleigh, North Carolina 27611.

Respectfully submitted,
Edwin S. Coates

COOPERATIVE PROGRAM REPORT

More than 5,000 missionaries at home and abroad depend on gifts through the Cooperative Program for a salary each month. Over 3,000 of these have a basic ministry of evangelism, with all of the others using their skills as nurses, teachers, doctors, etc. to meet human needs in order to bring these to Christ. Through the Cooperative Program you are helping the widow, the homeless child, the homeless aged, the sick, plus the ministries of preaching and teaching.

Increasing the percentage given through the Cooperative Program is an excellent follow-through for the special offerings your church receives. Last year 1,236 churches increased Cooperative Program giving by 10 percent or more over what they gave the previous year. Two of the associations in North Carolina had 100 percent of their churches giving through the Cooperative Program in 1973. These two associations were: Flat River and the Tar River.

Will you do four things?

1. Lead the church where you serve to increase Cooperative Program and associational giving by 10% or more.
2. Have a special prayer for your missionaries and mission causes during October Cooperative Program prayer month.
3. Send your check for Cooperative Program each month to Baptist State Convention, of North Carolina, P. O. Box 26508, Raleigh, N. C. 27611.
4. Help us have a good stewardship workshop in your association next spring or summer.

Our goals for the coming year are:

1. Every church in the association having a specific celebration for the 50th Anniversary of the Cooperative Program.
2. Every church in the association increasing Cooperative Program giving by at least 1% of the total budget income.
3. Every church in the association increasing associational mission giving to at least 3% of the total budget income.

For amounts given by each church and the total amount given by churches in the Brushy Mountain Association see table in back.

Respectfully submitted,
Paul Shoupe

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION REPORT

Women have always led in the mission movement and task. Baptist women, have through the centuries, made significant contributions and have played major roles in missions and in our denomination. Woman's Missionary Union gives Baptist women and youth an unlimited opportunity for expression of Christian compassion. We believe that there is a special kind of response which God is demanding of women and that through Woman's Missionary Union we have an avenue for maximum Christian service.

The WMU of the Brushy Mountain Association has sought to support and promote the

tasks set for us. These are: (1) Teach missions (2) Engage in mission action (3) Support world missions through praying and giving, and (4) Provide and interpret information regarding the work of the church and denomination.

Our Annual Session, held at Wilkesboro Baptist Church, included the Brotherhood of the association and emphasized the theme, "Listen to Your World".

A Day Camp for third graders was co-sponsored by the WMU and Brotherhood. 24 boys and girls were registered. Two WMU officers served on the faculty of 14.

We are delighted to report one new organization with all age level groups, and rejoice with Lewis Fork Church in this endeavor.

Four associational officers attended a Leadership Conference at Camp Mundo Vista in preparation for the year's work and a similar conference in the association for all WMU workers and leaders.

We live in a rapidly changing world, but the obligation of WMU to channel the talents and energies of Baptist women and youth into the task of world redemption has not changed. We live in a troubled and complex world; a world in which Christians number less than 25% of its total population and in which the greatest birth rate occurs in the non-Christian group. Hence, our mission imperative . . . to continue in an unbroken line into an ever increasing awareness and active concern and as co-laborers with God, embrace this mission mandate.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Robert Foster, Director

CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION REPORT

While churches and colleges are not identical in their purposes, Baptist churches and Baptist colleges in North Carolina do their work in an atmosphere of mutual appreciation. This active partnership includes Baptist Youth Corps, student-led worship and revival services, visits to the campuses by pastors and other leaders, participation of faculty and staff in associational and local church programs, and special projects of promotion on behalf of the Cooperative Program.

Your seven Baptist colleges are grateful for the continuing financial support which they receive through the Cooperative Program. During 1974, approximately \$2,350,000 will undergird the work of North Carolina Baptist colleges. At a very crucial and difficult time, these funds make a tremendous difference in the quality of programs offered by our schools.

The colleges make a special effort to recruit North Carolina Baptist students through pastors and superintendents of missions. No qualified student will be turned away simply because of inability to pay. Baptist colleges are anxious to enroll the young people from our churches.

Our colleges—Campbell, Chowan, Gardner-Webb, Mars Hill, Meredith, Wake Forest and Wingate—work together and with the Baptist State Convention through the Council on Christian Higher Education. The Council office is eager to assist both the churches and the colleges in the promotion of understanding and cooperation as together they deal creatively with persons in the name of our Lord.

Respectfully submitted,
Allen Laymon

ORDINATION COMMITTEE REPORT

At the request of the Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church, the Ordination Committee of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association met on August 4, 1974, to examine Brother J. H. McKuhen. After an inspirational time of examination, the committee voted unanimously to recommend Brother McKuhen for ordination into the gospel ministry.

We encourage all churches in our association to let us be of service to you when the need arises.

Respectfully submitted,
Allen Laymon, Chairman

MUSIC REPORT

The Associational Music Director has assisted several of the directors in the local churches with the music programs of their churches. He has also offered organ lessons to beginning

organists.

He spoke two times to the Ministerial Association concerning the use of music in worship. Each year he has been in charge of the music for the annual meetings of the association.

Respectfully submitted,
Ellihu E. Sloan

EVANGELISM REPORT

The continuing response of youth and adults to Lay Evangelism Schools has been significant. In the past thirty months 11,032 youth and adults have shared in this lay witness training from 855 churches and 44 associations. Also, 107 pastors from nine other associations have participated in Pastor's Retreats dealing with Lay Evangelism Schools.

God is greatly blessing the evangelistic ministry of our three summer youth evangelism teams. Nine college students are leading in music, preaching in youth revivals, and directing youth witness training sessions among 27 churches. Youth Ministries Week was held at the N. C. Baptist Assembly during June for about 700 youth and adults with the emphasis on evangelism, vocational guidance and recreation.

The 4th Statewide Youth Evangelism Night was held in August at the Greensboro Coliseum. Several of the churches in our association took youth groups to this event.

The 29th Statewide Evangelism Conference will be at War Memorial Auditorium, Greensboro, during February 3-5, 1975.

Most churches in the association have held a revival this spring and summer. I am sorry I do not have the results of these revivals to report to you.

The Associational Year 1975-76 will be given to Evangelism in our association with a Lay Evangelism School in the spring of '76 followed by a simultaneous revival.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. E. W. McMurray

BIBLICAL RECORDER REPORT

For 141 years the BIBLICAL RECORDER has gone into the homes of North Carolina Baptists, carrying good news and bad about our denomination and issues of the day. We are proud that our state paper is not afraid to take a firm stand on controversial subjects such as liquor by the drink. In these difficult days, N. C. Baptists must have a dependable source of information. The influence of the RECORDER is far reaching.

We are extremely grateful to the editor and his staff for an outstanding job during this past year. Each week we look forward to thought-provoking articles and editorials, as well as opinions expressed by readers across our state.

Your church can also share in this ministry for only \$2.50 per year in the church budget plan. Do it now!

Respectfully submitted,
Virginia Jarvis

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY REPORT

The American Bible Society, within a partnership called the United Bible Society, is working with other Bible Societies for the purpose of making God's Word available to all people in their own languages at a price they can afford to pay.

In launching a massive drive to provide Scriptures for new readers around the world, the Bible Societies are embarking upon a new venture which will strengthen and expand a tradition that has always been the responsibility of the Christian church. The mere availability is not enough. We want to help make sure that everyone will achieve the ability to read the Scriptures available to them.

According to the latest information received from the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, there are estimated 783 million illiterates in the world today, and even the most optimistic projections predict there will still be more than 650 million illiterates 30 years from now despite the fact that a great many countries are undertaking far-reaching programs to eliminate adult illiteracy.

In the 1850's one out of every 232 people in the United States was a volunteer for the American Bible Society. Some of the volunteers were members of local Bible Society Auxiliaries, some were citizens of frontier communities who had banded together to spread the Word of God throughout the spiritual wilderness surrounding them and some were individuals who felt a personal call to provide their friends and neighbors with the Scriptures.

Today the American Bible Society is offering an opportunity for individuals and groups to become Bible Society volunteers in the same tradition as their forefathers. There has been a sharp increase in the demand for Scriptures both in the United States and around the world.

Since its founding in 1816, the American Bible Society has enjoyed the support of every major denominational group in the United States. Many denominations reaffirm their support of the ABS annually by resolutions reminding their constituents that the American Bible Society is providing an essential missionary service without which much of the world would be deprived of God's Word.

Respectfully submitted,
Joe E. Crouch

BAPTIST HOSPITAL REPORT

In spite of the growth in size and complexity of your Baptist Hospital, the emphasis is still upon "ministering with skill and understanding". Evidence of this is a typical patient's remarks recently, "from the head surgeon to the aid who handed me a glass of water with all the doctors, nurses, people in the business office and chaplains in between, I was cheerfully given every personal consideration".

Changes and additions continue to be made for the purpose of providing better hospital care. Renovation of the progressive care unit has been completed and the South and West wings of the hospital building are now being renovated. Construction of the Ambulatory Care Unit is well underway and is scheduled for completion in the spring or early summer of 1975.

New discoveries continue to make possible better medical care. For example, a new EMI-scanner is to be installed and is expected to be in use by the end of this year. This device which combines the use of x-rays and computers will make it possible to detect brain tumors, blood clots, and strokes more accurately and more quickly. Scans can be completed in about 30 minutes and results can be available in another 5 minutes. There is no risk or discomfort involved and the patient does not have to be admitted to the hospital.

New approaches are also being made in the hospital's ministry to the emotional and spiritual needs of people. The division of human enrichment and development in the Department of Pastoral Care is conducting retreats, seminars, and workshops designed to help appropriate resources of the Christian faith to the various areas and experiences of life. The Pastoral Care Department has also opened its first satellite center in Fayetteville, N. C. to offer counseling and training to people in that area. Your cooperative program gifts help to support these ministries.

The school of nursing graduated its last class in May. The school has been in the process of phasing out for the past three years as a result of a trustee decision made in 1971.

In January the hospital had its only room rate increase in the past 3 1/2 years. Nevertheless, the hospital continues to operate "in the black". The 1973 Mother's Day offering amounted to \$375,000. At the time of this writing our 1974 Mother's Day gifts are running well ahead of the same time last year. These gifts are used to assist patients with the most urgent financial needs. A special committee of five Baptists from the Winston-Salem area assist personnel from the hospital business office and the department of denominational relations in administering these funds.

Your hospital staff and the people they serve are grateful for your interest, your prayers and your financial support.

Respectfully submitted,
Jack Boston

TIME, PLACE AND PREACHER REPORT

The Time, Place and Preacher committee recommends that the One Hundred Fourth Annual Session of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association be held at Goshen Baptist Church the first day, October 6, 1975, with the message to be brought by a representative of the Bap-

tist State Convention.

We recommend that the second day, October 7, 1975, be held at Mount Pleasant Baptist Church, with the annual sermon by Rev. Carl Elledge, Rev. Lavelle Waters, alternate.

Respectfully submitted, Rev. N. C. Teague
Virginia Jarvis, chairman Rev. Vaughn Brown

REPORT OF RESOLUTION COMMITTEE

Be it resolved:

1. That we express our appreciation and gratitude to the pastors and members of Wilkesboro and Lewis Fork Baptist Churches for sponsoring the picnic supper Monday in Wilkesboro and the delicious food provided Tuesday at Lewis Fork; also for the beautiful flowers and excellent accommodations provided for both sessions.

2. That we express to Rev. Gwyn Blackburn, our Moderator, appreciation for capable guidance and leadership, also to all association officers and committee members for their dedicated efforts.

3. That we thank the Program Committee for well-planned and uplifting programs and that we express our gratitude to those persons who provided special music for us.

4. That we express our sincere thanks to Rev. I. V. Couch and Mrs. Albert Holman for the work they are doing in all the churches and associational programs and that we support them with our prayers and efforts.

5. That we express our appreciation to Rev. James Weaver, Rev. Perry Crouch and Rev. Alfred Andrews who brought messages to the association.

6. That we, the members of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association, hold fast to our beliefs and convictions, and pledge ourselves to carry out the Great Commission which our Lord and Savior gave in Matthew 28:19.

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. W. L. Pitts
Mrs. Floyd Jennings Mrs. John Andrews

Calendar 1974-75

OCTOBER

7	Ministers and Wives Conference
7- 8	Annual Meeting
13	Biblical Recorder Day
21	Area Sunday School Preschool Workshops
23	Cooperative Program Prayer Emphasis in churches
24	Senior Adult Retreat, Caraway
30	Cooperative Program Prayer Emphasis in churches

NOVEMBER

1	Fall BSU Convention, Ridgecrest 1-3
2	"See Wake Forest University Day" for R. A.'s (Football game—WFU vs. Clemson)
3- 9	ROYAL AMBASSADOR WEEK
4	Ministers and Wives Conference, Wilkesboro
4 6:30 p. m.	Mission Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro
4 7:30 p. m.	Executive Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro
11-13	Sunday School Special Workers Training, Ridgecrest
17	HIGH ATTENDANCE DAY IN SUNDAY SCHOOL
19	Church Training Quarterly Meeting
22-23	Associational Acteens Officers' Retreat, Mundo Vista
24	BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES OFFERING
25	"M" Night—Church Training

DECEMBER

- 1- 8 WEEK OF PRAYER FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS AND LOTTIE MOON
CHRISTMAS OFFERING
- 2 Ministers and Wives Meeting, Wilkesboro
- 2 7:30 p. m. Sunday School Quarterly Meeting
- 12 Brotherhood Quarterly Meeting
- 25 CHRISTMAS DAY
- 29 Student Day at Christmas

JANUARY

- 6 Ministers and Wives Conference, Wilkesboro
- 5-10 Campus Chaplains' Seminar, In-The-Oaks, Black Mountain
- 6- 8 State V. B. S. Clinic, Wingate College
- 6-10 January Bible Study Week
- 10-11 N. C. Baptist Trustee Orientation Conference, Sir Walter Hotel, Raleigh
- 17-18 Home Mission Teacher Training, Camp Caraway, Asheboro
- 21-22 Sunday School Planning Workshop, Baptist Building, Raleigh
- 24-26 High School Senior's Retreat, Camp Caraway, Asheboro
- 24-25 Laymen's Witnessing Institute, Gardner-Webb, Boiling Springs
- Baptist Men's Day
- 28-29 General Board Meeting, Meredith College & Baptist Building, Raleigh
- 28 Council on Christian Higher Education Meeting

FEBRUARY

- 2 Baptist World Alliance Sunday
- 3- 5 Statewide Evangelism Conference, Greensboro, War Memorial Auditorium
- 3 Evangelism & Bus Ministry, First Church, Greensboro
- 8 Summer Missions Interviews
- 9-15 W. M. U. Focus Week
- 9 Race Relations Sunday
- 10 Ministers and Wives Conference, Wilkesboro
- 10 Missions Committee, Wilkesboro, 6:30 p. m.
- 10 Executive Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro, 7:30 p. m.
- 16 Homes For Aging Day and Offering
- 17-21 Regional S. S. Workshops (East)
- 18 Church Training Quarterly Meeting
- 26 Day Camp Conference
- 27 Regional Choir Festivals—Children 5:00—Adults 7:30, Lower Creek Church, Lenoir
- 28 Mar. 1 Day Camp Workshop, Camp Mundo Vista, Asheboro
- 28 Regional Choir Festivals—Children 5:00—Adults 7:30, Ardmore Church, Winston-Salem
- 28 Missions & Ministries Conference (SEBTS)

MARCH

- 1 Regional Choir Festivals—Children 10:00, First Church, Morganton
- 1 Mission & Ministries Conference (SEBTS)
- 2- 9 WEEK OF PRAYER FOR HOME MISSIONS AND ANNIE ARMSTRONG
EASTER OFFERING
- 3 Ministers and Wives, Wilkesboro
- 3- 4 Metropolitan Missions Conference, Temple Church, Durham
- 3 Sunday School Quarterly Meeting, 7:30 p. m.
- 7- 8 Language Missions Conference, Camp Caraway, Asheboro
- 11-12 WMU Annual Session, Ovens Auditorium, Charlotte
- 13 Brotherhood Quarterly Meeting
- 14-15 BSU Basketball Tournament
- 17-20 Sunday School Training School
- 17-21 Workers With Exceptional Persons Workshop
- 17-21 Children in Church Training Workshop
- 18-20 Minister's Conference, Gardner-Webb College
- 21-22 N. C. Baptist Youth Choir Festival, Prichard Memorial, Charlotte

21-22	State Pioneers RA Congress, Wake Forest University, W. S.
26-27	Rural Church Conference, Fruitland Conference Center
30	EASTER SUNDAY
APRIL	
4- 6	BSU Spring Conference
6	Adult Day in Sunday School
7	Ministers and Wives Conference, Wilkesboro
7-10	Day Camp Workshop Tour
9	Day Camp Conference
10	Day Camp Workshop, Fruitland Conference Center
13	Jewish Fellowship Week
14	WMU Annual Session
17-19	Special Church Ministries and Training Workshop, Camp Mundo Vista, Asheboro
18-19	State Handbell Festivals, St. Johns Church, Charlotte
20	COOPERATIVE PROGRAM DAY—50th ANNIVERSARY
22	State Church Building Conf., Baptist Bldg., Raleigh
23-25	Sunday School Workshop for Specialists in Pastor-Director Planning
25-26	Weekend RA Camp, Camp Caraway, Grades 4-12
25-26	Church Library Conference, Charlotte
25-27	State Acteens Convention, Ridgecrest Conf. Center
25-27	Family Camping Weekend, Camp Caraway, Asheboro
MAY	
2- 3	Weekend RA Camp, Camp Caraway, Grades 1-3
2- 4	Family Camping Weekend, Camp Caraway
5	Ministers and Wives Conference, Wilkesboro
5	Missions Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro, 6:30 p. m.
5	Executive Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro, 7:30 p. m.
4-11	Christian Home Week
7- 8	Baptist Women Retreat, Camp Mundo Vista
8-10	N. C. Youth Ministry and Recreation Conference, Caraway
9-10	Baptist Women Retreat, Camp Mundo Vista
11	Baptist Hospital Day Offering, Mother's Day
16-17	Baptist Women Retreat, Camp Mundo Vista
16-17	State RA Track Meet, Gardner-Webb College
16-18	Teachers and Interpreters of the Deaf Conf., Camp Caraway
17	Day Camp, 3rd graders
18	Baptist Radio and Television Sunday
19	50th Anniversary Cooperative Program Rally, region 7, First Church, Boone—7:30 p. m.
10-23	Senior Adult Conference, N. C. Baptist Assembly
20	Church Training Quarterly Meeting
23-24	Mother-Daughter Camp, Camp Mundo Vista
23-24	Dad and Lad Camp
27 June 3	Youth Corps Orientation, Gardner-Webb
29-31	Student Week at Ridgecrest
30-31	Correctional Ministries Conf., Wingate College
JUNE	
1- 3	Orientation for Summer Workers
1- 4	Student Week at Ridgecrest
1- 8	Precamp Training for Mundo Vista Staff
2	Sunday School Quarterly Meeting, 7:30 p. m.
8- 9	WMU Annual Meeting, Miami, Florida
9	Caraway Camp Opens
9-13	Youth Ministries Week, N. C. Baptist Assembly, Caswell
9-13	Girls-in-Action Camp, Camp Mundo Vista
10-12	Southern Baptist Convention, Miami Beach, Florida
12	Brotherhood Quarterly Meeting

13-15	Precamp Training for Fruitland GA Camp Staff
15	Baptist College Day and Offering—Father's Day
16-20	GA Camp, Fruitland Conference Center
16-20	GA Camp, Mundo Vista
16-21	Children's Choir Camp, N. C. Baptist Assembly
20-21	Baptist Young Women Retreat, Mundo Vista
23-27	Church Ministries and Training Week, Caswell
23-27	GA Camp, Fruitland Conf. Center
23-27	GA Camp, Mundo Vista
25-29	National Acteens Celebration No. 2, Memphis, Tenn.
29	Christian Citizenship Sunday
30 July 4	Sunday School Conference, Caswell
30 July 4	Acteens Camp, Mundo Vista
30 July 4	Week of Study and Fellowship, Mars Hill College

JULY	
4	INDEPENDENCE
7- 8	Associational Sunday School Officers Briefing, Baptist Building, Raleigh
7-11	Children's Choir Camp, Fruitland
7-11	Acteens Camp, Mundo Vista
7-12	World Missions Week, Caswell
8-13	Baptist World Alliance Congress, Stockholm, Sweden
11-13	Midcamp Training for Camp Mundo Vista Staff
14-18	Children's Choir Camp, Fruitland
14-18	Youth Conference, Caswell
14-18	Acteens Camp, Mundo Vista
18-19	Acteens Leaders Retreat, Mundo Vista
21-25	Superintendents of Missions Conference, Fruitland
21-25	Acteens Camp, Mundo Vista
21-26	Youth-Adult Music Conference, Caswell
28	Associational Sunday School Officers Briefing Meeting, Ridgecrest
28 Aug. 1	Girls in Action Camp, Mundo Vista
28 Aug. 1	Youth Conference, Caswell

AUGUST	
4	Ministers and Wives, Wilkesboro
4	Missions Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro, 6:30 p. m.
4	Executive Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro, 7:30 p. m.
4- 8	Youth Conference, Caswell
4- 8	Girls in Action Camp, Mundo Vista
9-15	Southern Baptist WMU Conference, Ridgecrest
10	Language Missions Day
11-15	Vacation Week, Caswell
11-15	Girls in Action Camp, Mundo Vista
14-17	Retreat for Exceptional Persons, Caswell
15	Youth Evangelism Night, Greensboro Coliseum
19	Church Training Quarterly Meeting
22-23	Associational WMU Officers Workshop, Fruitland
24	On-To-College Day
29-30	Associational WMU Officers Workshop, Mundo Vista
29-30	Brotherhood Leadership Training Retreat, Camp Caraway

SEPTEMBER	
1	LABOR DAY
5- 6	Assoc. WMU Officers Workshop, Camp Mundo Vista
5- 6	Crusader Royal Ambassador Congress, Raleigh
8	Ministers and Wives, Wilkesboro
8	Sunday School Quarterly Meeting, 7:30 p. m.
12-13	Part Time/Volunteer Music Directors Retreat, Caraway
12-13	WMU Couples Retreat, Mundo Vista
12-15	BSU State Officers Workshop, Caraway
15-17	Church Growth Seminar, Southeastern Seminary, Wake Forest

15-19	Brotherhood Missionary Education Dialogues
17-20	Multi-Vention, Church Adm., and Church Training, Caraway
18-19	Area Youth/Adult Workshop, Asheboro
19-20	Mother-Daughter Camp, Mundo Vista
21	State Missions Day and Offering
22-25	Area Sunday School Bible Conference
26-27	Baptist Women Retreat, Mundo Vista
26-28	Business and Professional Men's Retreat, Caraway
28 Oct. 5	Sunday School Preparation Week
30	Church Training Workshop

CAMP MUNDO VISTA

P. O. Box 98
Asheboro, N. C. 27203
Telephone: (919) 625-4828

Feb. 28—Mar. 1—Day Camp Workshop
April 17-19—Special Church Ministries and Training Workshop
May 7-8—Baptist Women Retreat
May 9-10—Baptist Women Retreat
May 16-17—Baptist Women Retreat
May 23-24—Mother-Daughter Camp
June 1-8—Precamp Training for Mundo Vista Camp Staff
June 9-13—Girls-in-Action Camp
June 16-20—Girls-in-Action Camp
June 20-21—Baptist Young Women Retreat
June 23-27—Girls-in-Action Camp
June 30—July 4—Acteens Camp
July 7-11—Acteens Camp
July 11-13—Midcamp Training for Camp, Mundo Vista Staff
July 14-18—Acteens Camp
July 18-19—Acteens Leaders Retreat
July 21-25—Acteens Camp
July 28—Aug. 1—Girls-in-Action Camp
August 4-8—Girls-in-Action Camp
August 11-15—Girls-in-Action Camp
August 29-30—Associational WMU Officers' Workshop
Sept. 5-6—Associational WMU Officers' Workshop
Sept. 12-13—WMU Couples' Retreat
Sept. 19-20—Mother-Daughter Camp
Sept. 26-27—Baptist Women Retreat
Oct. 3-4—Baptist Women Retreat
Nov. 21-22—Associational Acteens Officers' Retreat

CAMP CARAWAY

P. O. Box 36
Asheboro, N. C. 27203
B. W. Jackson, Director
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Jan. 17-18—Home Mission Teacher Training
Jan. 24-26—High School Seniors' Retreat
March 7-8—Language Missions Conference
April 25-26—Weekend RA Camp, (Grades 4-12)
April 25-27—Family Camping Weekend
May 2-3—Weekend RA Camp (Younger Crusaders, Grades 1-3)
May 2-4—Family Camping Weekend
May 8-10—N. C. Youth Ministry and Recreation Conference

May 16-18—Teachers' and Interpreters' of the Deaf Conference
 June 9—Camp Caraway Opens
 August 29-30—Brotherhood Leadership Training Retreat
 Sept. 12-13—Part Time/Volunteer Music Directors Retreat
 Sept. 12-15—BSU State Officers' Workshop
 Sept. 17-20—Multi-Vention (Church Administration and Church Training)
 Sept. 26-28—Business and Professional Men's Retreat
 Oct. 1-3—Chaplains/Wives Renewal Retreat
 Oct. 3-4—Pastors' and Sunday School Directors' Workshop
 Oct. 3-4—Adult Sunday School Workers' Workshop
 Oct. 3-4—Younger Crusader RA Camp (Grades 1-3)
 Oct. 10-12—Deacons' Retreat
 Oct. 14—Council on Christian Higher Education Meeting
 Oct. 14-15—General Board Meeting
 Oct. 17-18—Younger Crusader RA Camp (Grades 1-3)
 Oct. 23-25—Senior Adult Retreat
 Oct. 24-25—Festival of Arts
 Nov. 7-8—Youth Council Retreat

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSEMBLY

Southport, N. C. 28461
 Fred J. Smith, Director
 Telephone: (919) 278-5495

May 19-23—Senior Adult Conference
 June 9-13—Youth Ministries
 June 16-20—Children's Choir Camp
 June 23-27—Church Ministries and Training
 June 30—July 4—Youth Bible Conference
 July 7-11—World Missions Week
 July 14-18—Youth Conference
 July 21-25—Youth-Adult Music Week
 July 28—Aug. 1—Youth Conference
 August 4-8—Youth Conference
 August 11-15—Vacation Week

FRUITLAND BAPTIST CONFERENCE CENTER

P. O. Box 869
 Hendersonville, N. C. 28739
 Alex Booth, Director
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June 16-20—GA Camp
 June 23-27—GA Camp
 July 7-11—Children's Choir Camp
 July 14-18—Children's Choir Camp
 July 21-25—Superintendents of Missions Conference

RIDGECREST

Kenneth McAnear, Manager
 Ridgecrest, N. C. 28770
 Telephone: (704) 669-8022

May 31—June 6—Student Week
 June 7-13 (SBC)—Church Recreation Conference
 June 14-17—Youth Choir Festival—Alpha

June 17-20—Youth Choir Festival—Omega
June 21-27—Church Music Leadership
June 28—July 4—Foreign Missions Conference
July 5-11—Church Training Youth Conference
July 12-18—Church Training Leadership Conference
July 19-25—Sunday School Leadership Conference, Bus Outreach, Mentally Retarded
July 26—Aug. 1—Sunday School Leadership Conference, Bus Outreach, Mentally Retarded
August 2-8—Bible Preaching Conference, Church Library Conference, Christian Life Conference, Summer Youth Jubilee
August 9-15—Woman's Missionary Union
August 16-22—Home Missions Conference
August 23-29—OPEN
Aug. 29—Sept. 1—Single Adult Conference

HISTORICAL TABLE OF THE BRUSHY MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Wilkes County, North Carolina

DATE	WHERE HELD	MODERATOR	CLERK	PREACHER	No. of Churches	Baptisms	Church Memb.
1872	Sulphur Springs (Alex)	R. L. Steel	G. O. Sherrill	L. N. Haynes	27	45	2145
1873	New Hope	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	W. M. Wingate	28	75	2175
1874	Three Forks (Alex)	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	Isaac Oxford	28	96	1999
1875	Buffalo (Ashe)	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	James McNeill	29	201	2202
1876	Oak Forest	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	C. C. Pool	29	125	2525
1877	Union (Caldwell)	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	W. A. Pool	30	90	2558
1878	Lewis Fork	R. L. Steel	James B. Pool	Wm. Pool	30	191	2722
1879	Antioch (Alex)	Isaac Oxford	James B. Pool	George W. Green	31	85	2665
1880	Bethel (Ashe)	R. A. Spainhour	James B. Pool	James B. Pool	34	195	2847
1881	Cub Creek	R. A. Spainhour	James B. Pool	Milton McNeill	36	188	2921
1882	Macedonia (Alex)	R. A. Spainhour	James B. Pool	W. J. Fullord	34	166	2930
1883	Kings Creek (Caldwell)	R. A. Spainhour	W. E. White	W. A. Pool	35	204	3158
1884	Three Forks (Alex)	R. A. Spainhour	W. E. White	I. W. Thomas	36	146	3219
1885	Zion Hill	R. A. Spainhour	W. E. White	William Royal	36	207	3316
1886	Sulphur Springs (Alex)	R. A. Spainhour	W. E. White	W. A. Pool	31	125	2943
1887	Wilkesboro	R. A. Spainhour	W. E. White	C. E. Taylor	27	253	2701
1888	Walnut Grove	R. A. Spainhour	W. P. Laws	W. R. Gwaltney	14	43	1114
1889	Mt. Pleasant	I. T. Prevett	J. L. Hemphill	W. R. Gwaltney	17	133	1315
1890	Little Rock	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McChinnis	W. L. Wright	17	122½	122½
1891	Mt. Carmel	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McChinnis	W. W. White	18	61	1303
1892	Moravian Falls	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McChinnis	I. T. Prevett	18	28	1283
1893	Pleasant Home	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McChinnis	A. T. Pardue	19	52	1375
1894	N. Wilkesboro 1st	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McChinnis	W. R. Bradshaw	20	73	1425
1895	New Hope	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McChinnis	A. T. Pardue	20	74	1475
1896	Mt. Zion	R. A. Spainhour	Vance McChinnis	J. C. Blalock	19	77	1480
1897	Edgewood	J. L. Hemphill	Vance McChinnis	W. R. Bradshaw	19	89	1575
1898	Beaver Creek	J. L. Hemphill	Vance McChinnis	A. T. Pardue	18	54	1511
1899	Lewis Fork	W. M. Absher	Vance McChinnis	J. J. Beach	19	37	1574
1900	Zion Hill	W. M. Absher	Vance McChinnis	W. R. Gwaltney	19	91	1608
1901	Cub Creek	J. L. Hemphill	Vance McChinnis	A. T. Pardue	20	110	1634
1902	Wilkesboro	J. L. Hemphill	Vance McChinnis	S. F. Conrad	20	167	1788
1903	Shady Grove	J. L. Hemphill	Vance McChinnis	W. R. Bradshaw	21	91	1850
1904	Stony Hill	J. L. Hemphill	John Crouch	W. H. Eller	21	74	1878
1905	Walnut Grove	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	W. F. Staley	21	185	1999
1906	Harmony	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	W. F. Staley	21	131	2080
1907	N. Wilkesboro 1st	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	J. S. Farmer	22	208	2196
1908	New Hope	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	W. F. Staley	22	91	2146
1909	Little Rock	C. C. Wright	W. H. Church	I. W. Thomas	23	120	2275
1910	Wilkesboro	C. C. Wright	D. R. Edwards	C. M. Rock	23	115	2375

1911	Mt Pleasant	C C Wright	W H Church	L B Murray	23	206	2449
1912	Mt Carmel	C C Wright	W H Church	R P Blevins	23	156	2569
1913	Pleasant Home	C C Wright	R P Blevins	R P Blevins	23	200	2751
1914	Lewis Fork	C C Wright	R L Proffit	S S Jennings	24	166	2888
1915	Mt Zion	C C Wright	R L Proffit	D M Wheeler	24	103	2880
1916	Moravian Falls	C C Wright	R L Proffit	C H Utley	24	107	2999
1917	Edgewood	C C Wright	R L Proffit	W C Meadows	24	213	3118
1918	Beaver Creek	C C Wright	R L Proffit	S S Jennings	25	235	3251
1919	Zion Hills	C C Wright	R L Proffit	S S Jennings	26	134	3266
1920	Rhonda	C C Wright	R L Proffit	W F Staley	27	116	3267
1921	N Wilkesboro 1st	C C Wright	Vance McGinnis	G W Sebastian	27	222	3450
1922	Pleasant Grove	C C Wright	Vance McGinnis	W L Griggs	27	315	3715
1923	Oakwoods	C C Wright	Vance McGinnis	G W Sebastian	27	210	3859
1924	Harmony	C C Wright	Vance McGinnis	W L Griggs	26	169	3729
1925	Walnut Grove	C C Wright	Vance McGinnis	J L Shinn	26	233	408
1926	N Wilkesboro 2nd	C C Wright	Vance McGinnis	G G Reeves	26	168	4196
1927	C Goshen	C C Wright	Vance McGinnis	G W Sebastian	27	211	4816
1928	Mt Pleasant	C C Wright	Vance McGinnis	N C Teague	27	105	4115
1929	Stony Hill	C C Wright	Vance McGinnis	W M Gilmore	27	79	4148
1930	Little Rock	C C Wright	Vance McGinnis	W R Bradshaw	28	194	4324
1931	Fishing Creek	C C Wright	J E Jordan	A E Watts	29	223	4680
1932	Pligim	J L Hemphill	J F Jordan	Avery M Church	29	190	4660
1933	Mt Zion	J L Hemphill	Mrs Floyd M Jennings	A J Foster	30	230	4759
1934	Moravian Falls	J L Hemphill	Mrs Floyd M Jennings	Eugene Olive	28	228	4899
1935	Lewis Fork	T E Story	Mrs Floyd M Jennings	Avery M Church	28	108	4755
1936	Oakwoods	T E Story	Mrs Floyd M Jennings	N T Jarvis	28	181	4699
1937	Liberty Grove	T E Story	J F Jordan	C C Holland	28	201	4831
1938	Mt Pleasant	T E Story	J F Jordan	Isaac Watts	30	249	5168
1939	Beaver Creek	T E Story	J F Jordan	Howard J Ford	31	224	539
1940	New Hope	T E Story	J F Jordan	Ernest V Bumgarner	32	184	5514
1941	Pleasant Home	T E Story	J F Jordan	Finley C. Watts	32	212	5602
1942	Zion Hill	T E Story	J F Jordan	Alfred J Foster	33	238	5651
1943	Elk	T E Story	J F Jordan	Howard J Ford	33	310	5933
1944	Hinshaw Street	T E Story	J F Jordan	C J Pool	33	121	5964
1945	Mt Carmel	T E Story	J F Jordan	S Isaac Watts	33	342	6270
1946	Pleasant Grove	T E Story	J F Jordan	David E. Browning	34	240	6509
1947	Boiling Springs	T E Story	J F Jordan	W N Brookshire	33	191	6850
1948	Little Rock	T E Story	J F Jordan	J. Glenn Hultman	33	162	6571
1949	Goshen	T E Story	J F Jordan	John T. Wayland	33	284	6799
1950	Davis Memorial	T E Story	J F Jordan	John Wells	35	291	7073
1951	Walnut Grove	A. W. Eller	Mrs. Tam S. Hutchinson	W. N Brookshire	35	250	7255
1952	Purlear	A. W. Eller	Mrs. Tam S. Hutchinson	Clate Brown	35	221	7405

1953	Wilkesboro Goshen	John V. Idol	Mrs. H. G. Duncan	Harvey White A. W. Eller	36	240	7531
1954	Pleasant Home Mt. Zion	John V. Idol	Mrs. H. G. Duncan	J. Glenn Huffman W. H. Caldwell	37	342	7833
1955	Welcome Home Cub Creek	John V. Idol	Gwyn Vannoy	W. R. Wagener LeRoy Thomas	37	352	7965
1956	Fishing Creek Beaver Creek	John V. Idol	Thomas W. Earp	A. B. Cooke, Jr. Hunter Church	38	269	8186
1957	Zion Hill	John V. Idol	Thomas W. Earp	J. C. McQueen, Jr. Henry A. Morgan	39	334	8425
1958	Galvary N. Wilkesboro 1st	John V. Idol	W. W. Miles	Clyde Church Frank Walker	39	339	8656
1959	Moravian Falls Edgewood	John V. Idol	T. E. Story	Howard Laney Heber F. Peacock	39	290	8855
1960	Mt. Pleasant	Clyde Church	T. E. Story	Vaughn Brown Warren Kerr	39	404	9210
1961	Walnut Grove Oakwoods	Clyde Church	T. E. Story	Dean Dillard Richard Byrd	39	296	9325
1962	Boiling Springs Little Rock	Henry A. Morgan	T. E. Story	R. F. Smith, Jr. Rowe W. Teague	39	369	9582
1963	Hinshaw Street Miller's Creek	Henry A. Morgan	T. E. Story	Fred S. Miller W. H. Caldwell	39	267	9748
1964	Liberty Grove Pilgrim	Henry A. Morgan	T. E. Story	Paul Shoupe E. L. Copeland	39	337	9952
1965	New Hope Wilkesboro	J. Glenn Huffman	T. E. Story	C. A. Eden, Jr. C. E. Lawing	40	305	10,186
1966	Fishing Creek Mt. Pleasant	J. Glenn Huffman	R. C. Bailey	R. Earl Adams Frank Walker	40	356	10,532
1967	Beaver Creek North Wilkesboro 2nd	R. C. Greene	R. C. Bailey	David Osborne Harold T. Smith	40	399	10,600
1968	Goshen Pleasant Home	R. C. Greene	J. C. Shaw, Jr.	Clate Brown Albert Pruitt	40	241	10,294
1969	Pleasant Grove North Wilkesboro First	Hunter Church	J. C. Shaw, Jr.	Allen Laymon G. C. Arney	41	268	10,587
1970	Bethany Roaring River	Hunter Church	J. C. Shaw, Jr.	Dean Simpson Gwyn Blackburn	41	251	10,937
1971	Little Rock Wilkesboro	E. W. McMurray	J. C. Shaw, Jr.	W. L. Pitts Harold Rumlert	41	324	11,113
1972	Liberty Grove Hinshaw Street	E. W. McMurray	Mrs. Albert Holman	Mace Johnson Ralph Stanley	41	354	11,551
1973	Gordon New Hope	J. C. Shaw, Jr.	Mrs. Albert Holman	Howard Ford E. W. McMurray	41	317	11,712
1974	Wilkesboro Boiling Springs	J. C. Shaw, Jr.	Mrs. Albert Holman	I. V. Couch Carl Walker	41	321	11,800
	Fishing Creek Pleasant Home	Gwyn Blackburn	Mrs. Albert Holman	James Weaver Alfred Andrews			
	Wilkesboro Lewis Fork						

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION OF
NORTH CAROLINA

This is to certify that the

(Name of Church)

(Address)

in church conference _____ 19 ____

Voted to make formal application for

membership in the Brushy Mountain Missionary Baptist Association, and pledges itself to support the Baptist Denomination and its program of carrying out our Lord's Commands within the Association, the State, the Homeland, and throughout the world. The "Articles of Faith," known and commonly accepted by Baptists as the "New Hampshire Confession of Faith," has been read before the congregation and approved. It further pledges itself to live by the "Church Covenant" of a Missionary Baptist Church. It declares itself to be a duly-constituted and organized Missionary Baptist Church, and will maintain this status at all times, or will voluntarily withdraw from the Association.

It understands that upon submitting this application, accompanied with a Southern Baptist Convention uniform Associational letter to the Annual Session of the Association, and if the Association received the application and uniform letter, it will be referred to the Committee on New Churches for study and investigation. The Church maintains for the year the status of Associate Membership until the committee makes its recommendation, if favorable, it will be received into full membership with all the rights and privileges at the next Annual Session.

Signed _____ Pastor

_____ Clerk

_____ Deacon

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CARLELLEDGE															
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City State Zip															
Rt. 4 North Wilkesboro N. C. 28659															
TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES															
CHURCHES															
Beaver Creek	Charles Taylor, Rt. 5, Box 592, Lenoir 28645	3	7	3	9	4	2	28	10						
Edgewood	Clarence Carvy, Rt. 2, Box 484, Wilkesboro 28697	1	8	3	3	10	4	27	14						
Fishing Creek	Wade Walsh, Rt. 7, North Wilkesboro 28659				21	5	5	57	35						
Goshen	Mrs. Harold Collins, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606	4	10	11	4	20	2	56	30	49	49	Completed	Registration		
Lewis Fork															
Liberty Grove	Jimmy Brown, Rt. 5, N. Wilkesboro 28659														
Little Rock	Frank Carlton, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606		1	10		20		34	25						
Millers Creek	Ernest Cotten, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651	2	8	10		12		34	34						
New Hope	Lee Church, Purlcar 28665		8	5		18	8	40	30						
N. Wilkesboro, First	Mrs. J. B. West, P. O. Box 1126, N. Wilkesboro 28659	6	47	65		86		207	129	34	34	55	39		
N. Wilkesboro, Sec.		4	12	10	11	16		56	32						
Oakwoods	William Ellis, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro 28697		3	8	4	6	1	26	20						
Pleasant Home	Mrs. Otto Reavis, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651	1	9	17	4	7		40	14						
Walnut Grove	Charles Broynhill, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls 28651	6	4	7	8	16	7	60	25						
Wilkesboro	Robert G. Parsons, 1434 Westwood Lane, Wilkesboro 28697	13	8	10		26		60	48						
TOTALS												715	440		

TABLE D CHURCH MUSIC																	
Association					1974	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100
State																	
NORTH CAROLINA																	
Associational Music Director																	
ELLIHU E. SLOAN																	
Address					City	State	Zip										
325 Forest Hills Rd.					Wilkesboro	N. C.	28659										
CHURCHES		MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES															
Beaver Creek	David Walsh, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606						12							4		36	
Bethany	Max Handren, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28654							8								20	18
Boiling Springs	W. O. Huffman, Rt. 1, Purkiser 28665						15	10	50							80	
Calvary	Vaughn Eller, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro 28659	5	5	10	8		10	8	25					2		62	50
Crickit	Mavniard Dancy, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro 28659	5	10	8							12					58	43
Cub Creek	Charles Cain, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro 28697	2	14	6					32							26	18
Davis Memorial	Travis Harris, Rt. 1, Box 342, Ferguson 28624		4	4	18		4	10	4					2		27	10
Edgewood	C. A. Hayes, Rt. 7, Box 267, N. Wilkesboro 28659	6	5	25	25		25	25	25			2		2		79	79
Elk	Ray Vaughn Brown, Rt. 7, N. Wilkesboro 28659						5	8	12					2		27	20
Fishing Creek	Don Key, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651													2			
Friendly Grove	J. B. Carson, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro 28659							6	21					3		42	35
Gordon	Don Russell, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls 28654	5	7	6			10	10	24					4		56	45
Harmony	Pred Bumgarner, Rt. 4, Box 375-A, N. Wilkesboro 28659	8	10	10					26					1		27	20
Hinckley Street	Mrs. Lepa Miller, Rt. 1, Box 256-E, N. Wilkesboro 28659													4		61	
Lighthouse	Glenda Barker, Hwy. 28635	25	40	25			10	10	27					3		33	25
Liberty Grove	Mrs. Rowan Mortimer, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606		6	10			6	10	14					3		20	20
Little Rock	Mrs. Betty McKew, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28654		30	10			10	20	25					3		38	20
Millers Creek	Mrs. Jimmy Pearson, Rt. 2, Boomer 28606								15							50	12
Moravian Falls	Mrs. Eugene Eller, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697								18							47	15
Mt. Carmel	Mrs. P. D. Welborn, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro 28659	7	15	15			15	25	15							60	40
Mt. Pleasant	Mrs. J. T. Vannoy, Spring Park Street, N. Wilkesboro 28659	3	14	25			11	10	25				8			54	46
New Hope	E. E. Sloan, 325 Forest Hills Rd., Wilkesboro 28697	30	31	35			31	35	37	12		10	12	15		182	112
N. Wilkesboro First	Eugene Triplett, Rt. 1, Millers Creek																
N. Wilkesboro Second	William Ellis, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro 28697	3	10	8					30					2		53	50
Oak Grove	Charles Shumaker, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697								20					4		24	18
Oakwoods	Phil Chapman, Rt. 3, Taylorsville 28681																
Pilgrim	Paul Meares, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651	8	12	40					30				8			98	65
Pleasant Grove	Paul Meares, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651						12	15	25				5			46	35
Pleasant Home	Worth Ward, Rt. 2, North Wilkesboro 28659		12	15			12	15	20							47	30
Roaring River									7		2	3				19	13
Rocky Creek																	
Shady Grove	Hubert L. Bullis, Rt. 2, Box 172, Moravian Falls 28654	4	2	10						4			2			22	20
Sharon Walker																	
Stony Hill	Eugene Johnson, Rt. 1, Box 300, Purkiser 28665	5	14	11					19				2			51	26
Walnut Grove	Bentley Parlier, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls 28654								11				6			18	15
Welcome Home	H. R. Kendall, Rt. 6, N. Wilkesboro 28659	2	10	2					25				2			41	20
Wilkesboro	Mrs. D. R. Goodnow, 601 Sixth St., N. Wilkesboro 28659	26	20	14			20	14	30							60	60
Zion Hill	Craig Little, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697		25	12					25							62	40
TOTALS															1719	1134	

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION																
1974																
Association																
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN																
State																
NORTH CAROLINA																
Associational WMU Director																
MRS. ROBERT FOSTER																
Address																
406 Highland																
City																
Wilkesboro																
State																
N. C.																
Zip																
28697																
WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES																
CHURCHES																
Beaver Creek	Mrs. Myrtle Horton, Rt. 1, Box 21, Ferguson 28624															
Boling Springs	Mrs. Wayne Greer, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651															
Crook Creek	Mrs. Robert Johnson, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28654															
Elk	Mrs. Robert McNeil, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624															
Fishing Creek	Mrs. Clifton Waddell, Rt. 3, Box 513, N. Wilkesboro 28659															
Hinshaw Street																
Lewis Fork	Mrs. Frank Eller, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624															
Liberty Grove																
Little Rock	Mrs. Roy Livingston, Rt. 1, Boomer 28806															
Millers Creek																
Moravian Falls	Mrs. Eleanor McMurray, Box 86, Moravian Falls 28654															
Mt. Pleasant	Mrs. Betty Church, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624															
New Hope																
N. Wilkesboro, First	Mrs. James Cook, Rt. 3, Box 478, Wilkesboro 28697															
Oakwoods	Miss Nora Laws, 294 East Main St., Wilkesboro 28697															
Pleasant Home	Mrs. Rex Whittington, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651															
Welcome Home	Mrs. Edwin R. Fox, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro 28659															
Wilkesboro	Mrs. S. R. Pearson, 812 Woodland Blvd., Wilkesboro 28697															
TOTALS		10	14	8	3	15	1	51	84	128	61	70	203	64		620

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD									
Association				1974					
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN									
State									
NORTH CAROLINA									
Associational Brotherhood Director									
RAY SHOMAKER									
Address		City	State	Zip					
Rt. 5		North Wilkesboro	N. C.	28659					
CHURCHES		BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES							
Beaver Creek	Richard Edmington, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606								
Boiling Springs	Wayne Greer, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651								
Bob Creek	Danny Wyatt, P. O. Box 309, Maravian Falls 28654								
Elk	James Weaver, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651								
Hinslaw St.	Hardin Shumate, Rt. 5, N. Wilkesboro 28659								
Liberty Grove	Earnest Walsh, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697								
Mt. Pleasant	Jim Boyles, Rt. 1, Box 166-D-14, Wilkesboro 28697								
N. Wilkesboro, First	Robert Joiner, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 38651								
Pleasant Home	Max Freeman, Rt. 1, Box 23311, Wilkesboro 28697								
Wilkesboro									
TOTALS	68	40	22	13	100	15	9		277

TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP														1974
Association														
	BRUSHY MOUNTAIN													
	State													
	NORTH CAROLINA													
Associational Treasurer														
	MRS. ALBERT HOLMAN													
	Address													
	Rt. 4, Box 426 North Wilkesboro N. C. 28659													
CHURCHES														
TREASURERS & ADDRESSES														
21	22	23	24	126	127	128	129	130	131	132	133	134	135	
Number of tithe	Budget prom. or emphasis used during the year.	Cooperative Program goal as percent of total budget	Associational mission's goal as percent of total budget	Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	All other receipts	Total receipts	Money borrowed during the year	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction during the year	Debt retirement during the year	Church literature	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures	
														None
16				15130		15130		5700		2700	389	3586	12375	
15	x	8	4	15130		11236		3600			121	3586	8806	
9	x	10	5	11236		11236		2320			293	293	2593	
40	x	2	1	13245	600	13845		2120			393	393	3228	
13	x			35054		35054		6650		15000	545	10744	32939	
				18597		18597		7634		1800		4421	13855	
	x	2.3	3.6	21768		21768		8750	6955		735	4553	20993	
8	x			7788		7788		2408	2365	600	247	1421	7041	
17	x	7	3	16107	1500	17607		7770	557		636	4090	13053	
				6030		6030		2200			153	3070	5423	
30	x	7	3	19279		19279		8800			1030	8123	17953	
6				5744		5744		1160			128	4602	5890	
8	x			9907		9907		4160		3773	111	2149	10193	
13	x			19519		19519		6497	2213	3648	368	4303	21298	
17	x	3	3	14000	525	14525		425			650	500	1575	
			2	53676	255	53931		20422	5203	2250	637	2747	55537	
32	x	10	2	28748		28748		12738	2000	800	366	1539	38443	
15	x	12	2	37265	14931	37265	14500	11445	20235	4200	520	9623	25788	
30	x	4	4	34236		34236		7770	7325	14400	541	1438	30384	
65	x	16	5	23855		23855		9362	3007	12122	1239	15862	17890	
25	x			7071		7071		37621	8280	1600	183	1178	6973	
15	x	2.6	1.3	30864		30864		3456		3611	193	2059	30764	
9	x	3.6	2.1	21765	815	22578		10130	3366	592	582	2537	16625	
20	x	17	1.77	18197		18197		57002		33052	2960	64169	157183	
10	x			10290		10290		5240			175	4519	9931	
20	x			11014		11014		5806			265	7339	13410	
15	x	2.5	1.8	20486		20486		6815	289	4102	704	8784	20694	
		7	2	13709	557	14266	28000	2980	39852	2664	245	2158	47899	
				18755	1712	20467		5625			679	8083	14387	
18	x			22638	105	22543		7981			814	9634	18429	
30	x			12624		12624	5000	3570	10351		352	3762	18035	
20	x			9427	101	9528		3500	2216	960	200	341	7217	
2	x			900		900					12	464	476	
	x			2432		2432		447			83	1136	1656	
5	x			9234		9234	1000	2960	4668	517	233	766	9144	
9	x			9451	70	9521		3230	125		279	550	4184	
20	x	10	10	20950		20950		7968			407	8695	17070	
20	x			17425	691	18116		8342			614	5336	14292	
115	x	11.8	3.5	111513	8028	119541	2824	34799	23750		1888	1444	107053	
	x	8	2	23890		23890		6250	3559		1344	10579	21732	
TOTALS														939873

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October 6-7, 1975



The One Hundred Fifth Annual Session will be held
Monday, October 4, 1976 at Cub Creek Baptist Church

MESSAGE..... Representative State Convention

The Session on Tuesday, October 5, 1976 will be held at
Fishing Creek Baptist Church

SERMON..... Rev. Glenn Byrd
ALTERNATE..... Rev. Sherrill Wellborn

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Church 838-3091

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Church 973-3102

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Church 973-4673

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Parsonage 838-3640

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Church 667-7838

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Church 973-4087

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Church 973-4995

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SHARON WALKER: Rev. J. C. Greene, Rt. 6, Box 779, Lenoir, 28645.....	754-5558
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Church 838-2962

WILKESBORO: Rev. Alfred Andrews, Box 61, Wilkesboro, 28697.....	667-6450
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Church 667-1271

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GOSHEN: Rev. Clyde Church, 1001 Hill St., Wilkesboro, 28697.....	667-6602
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N. WILKESBORO 1ST: Dr. John T. Wayland, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls, 28654.....	838-8186
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MUSIC DIRECTOR: Mr. E. E. Sloan, 325 Forest Hills Rd. W., 28697.	667-6833
SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTOR: Mr. Bryce Greene, Rt. 6, Box 377, N. W., 28659.	670-2503
CHURCH TRAINING DIR.: Rev. Carl Elledge, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro, 28659.	667-7825
WMU DIRECTOR: Mrs. Robert Foster, 406 Highland St. W., 28697.	838-2870
BROTHERHOOD DIR.: Mr. Max Freeman, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro, 28697.	973-4790
LIBRARIAN: Mrs. Albert Holman, Rt. 1, Purlear, 28665.	973-3368
HISTORIAN: Mrs. W. K. Sturdivant, P. O. Box 1208, N. W., 28659.	838-8808

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AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY:

ANNUITY BOARD: Rev. Clyde Church, 1001 Hill St., Wilkesboro.	28697
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BAPTIST COLLEGES:

BAPTIST HOSPITAL: Mrs. Harold Tedder, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro.	28697
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CHILDREN'S HOMES: Rev. Horace Moree, Rt. 2, Box 11A, Moravian Falls.	28654
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FRUITLAND: Rev. Paul Laws, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls.	28654
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FOREIGN MISSIONS: Mrs. Rena Spicer, Rt. 2, Millers Creek.	28651
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HOME MISSIONS: Mrs. Ernest Walker, Rt. 1, Millers Creek.	28651
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DIRECTOR LEADER TRAINING: Mr. Phillip Stone, Box 61, Wilkesboro.	28697
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Rev. Frank Walker, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro.	(3)	28697

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1. All main officers of the association
2. All pastors of churches in the association
3. One elected representative from each church in the association.

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BETHANY:	
BOILING SPRINGS: Wayne Greer, Rt. 1, Millers Creek.	28651
CALVARY:	
CRICKET:	
CUB CREEK: Buddy Anderson, P.O. Box 68, Moravian Falls.	28654
DAVIS MEMORIAL:	
EDGEWOOD: Dale Brown, Rt. 7, Box 265, N. Wilkesboro.	28659
ELK: Vernon M. Eller, Rt. 1, Ferguson.	28624
FISHING CREEK: Carlos Pardue, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro.	28697
FRIENDLY GROVE:	
GORDON:	
GOSHEN:	
HARMONY:	
HINSHAW STREET: Rex Brown, Rt. 1, Box 342, Hays.	28635
LEWIS FORK: Curtis Foster, Rt. 1, Purlear.	28665
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LITTLE ROCK: Ray Parsons, Rt. 1, Boomer.	28606
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MORAVIAN FALLS: Walter Phillips, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro.	28697
MT. CARMEL:	
MT. PLEASANT: Earnest Walsh, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro.	28697
MT. ZION:	
NEW HOPE: Clarence Benton, Rt. 1, N. Wilkesboro.	28659
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PILGRIM: Sloan Deal, Rt. 2, Millers Creek.	28651
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PLEASANT HOME: Paul Rash, Rt. 1, Millers Creek.	28651
PURLEAR: James Spears, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro.	28697
ROARING RIVER:	
ROCKY CREEK:	
SHADY GROVE:	

SHARON WALKER:	
STONY HILL: Fred Huffman, Rt. 1, Purlear.....	28665
WALNUT GROVE: Worth Bentley, Moravian Falls.....	28654
WELCOME HOME: Edwin Walker, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro.....	28659
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MISSIONS COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN:

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CUB CREEK: Mrs. Jessie Johnson, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls.....	28654
FISHING CREEK: Mrs. Archie Holland, Rt. 7, N. Wilkesboro.....	28659
GOSHEN: Mrs. Jesse Walsh, Jr., Rt. 3, Wilkesboro.....	28697
HINSHAW STREET: Mrs. Kurt Johnson, 606 Peden Street, N.W.....	28659
LEWIS FORK: Miss Velma Golds, Rt. 1, Box 181, Purlear.....	28665
MT. PLEASANT: Mrs. Melba Wood, Rt. 1, Ferguson.....	28624
N. WILKESBORO FIRST: Mrs. Jerry Watson, Rt. 7, B. 225, N. Wilkesboro.....	28659
PILGRIM: Mrs. Bobby Deal, Rt. 1, Millers Creek.....	28651
PLEASANT HOME: Mrs. Ernest Walker, Rt. 1, Millers Creek.....	28651
ROARING RIVER: Barbara Mastin, Rt. 2, Roaring River.....	28669
WALNUT GROVE: Mrs. Bertha Hodges, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls.....	28654
WILKESBORO: Mrs. Judson Kneee, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls.....	28654

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BETHANY: Maggie Hayes, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls.	28654
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CALVARY: Jill Minton, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro.	28659
CRICKET: Mrs. Troy Eller, Rt. 1, Millers Creek.	28651
CUB CREEK: Mrs. Marcia Caudill, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro.	28697
DAVIS MEMORIAL: Mrs. Russell Wayne, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro.	28697
EDGEWOOD: Mrs. Dale Brown, Rt. 7, Box 265, N. Wilkesboro.	28659
ELK: Mrs. Marjorie Roberts, Rt. 1, Ferguson.	28624
FISHING CREEK: Mrs. Darrell Brown, Rt. 7, Box 35, N. Wilkesboro.	28659
FRIENDLY GROVE: Mrs. Betty McGlamery, Rt. 2, Box 42, Millers Creek.	28651
GORDON: Mrs. Dillard Church, P.O. Box 626, N. Wilkesboro.	28659
GOSHEN: Mr. Sherrill Lowe, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls.	28654
HARMONY:	
HINSHAW STREET: Mrs. Roger Pilkenton, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro.	28697
LEWIS FORK: Franklin Triplett, Rt. 1, Purlear.	28665
Mrs. Albert Holman, Rt. 1, Purlear.	28665
LIBERTY GROVE: Steve Anglin, Rt. 5, N. Wilkesboro.	28659
LITTLE ROCK: Mrs. R. H. Transou, Rt. 1, Boomer.	28606
MILLERS CREEK: Miss Glenda Wayne, Rt. 1, Millers Creek.	28651
MORAVIAN FALLS: Mrs. Betty McKew, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls.	28654
MT. CARMEL: Randy Bare, Rt. 1, Boomer.	28606
MT. PLEASANT: Mrs. Kathryn Foster, Rt. 1, Ferguson.	28624
MT. ZION: Mrs. Dwight Triplett, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro.	28697
Mrs. Danny Owens, Rt. 1, Ferguson.	28624
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OAK GROVE: Mrs. Lloyd Church, Rt. 1, Wilbar.	28696
OAKWOODS: Travis Baker, Rt. 4, Wilkesboro.	28697
PILGRIM: Mrs. Dennis Faw, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro.	28697
PLEASANT GROVE: Rozel Mathis, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro.	28659
PLEASANT HOME: Miss Vickie Reeves, Rt. 1, Millers Creek.	28651
PURLEAR: Mrs. Patsy Reid, Rt. 1, Purlear.	28665
ROARING RIVER: Mrs. Hugh Sparks, Box 36, Rt. 2, Roaring River.	28669
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SHADY GROVE: Mrs. William Walker, Rt. 1, Box 267, Millers Creek.	28651
SHARON WALKER: Mrs. Wake Payne, Rt. 1, Boomer.	28606
STONY HILL: Miss Patti Johnson, Rt. 1, Box 74, Purlear.	28665
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WELCOME HOME: Miss Charlene Beshears, Rt. 1, Millers Creek.	28651
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The following code designates present status: PI—part time, interim, etc.; CH—Chaplain; EM—Evangelist-Music; EP—evangelist-preaching; R—retired; I—inactive; AW—associational worker; SW—state denominational worker; CW—convention-wide denominational worker; O—other.

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CALVARY: Jerry Winkler, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro.	28659
Howard Pennell, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro.	28697
CRICKET: Lloyd Payne, EP, Rt. 6, N. Wilkesboro.	28659
FISHING CREEK: Dewey Foster, PI, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro.	28697
FRIENDLY GROVE: Onnie Dancy, O, Rt. 1, Millers Creek.	28651
GORDON: Johnny Dancy, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro.	28659

Gilbert Osborne, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro.	28659
GOSHEN: Clyde Church, R, Hill Street, Wilkesboro.	28697
John Higgins, R, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro.	28697
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MORAVIAN FALLS: N. C. Teague, R, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro.	28697
MT. CARMEL: Thurmond, Kilby, Boomer.	28606
Kelly Pipes, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls.	28654
Henry Clanton, Rt. 1, Box 338, Boomer.	28606
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OAK GROVE: Quincy Yates, I, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro.	28697
Hobert Jones, O, Hays.	28635
OAKWOODS: Fred Blevins, R, Rt. 4, Wilkesboro.	28697
Tommy Johnson, I, Wilkesboro.	28697
PILGRIM: Earl Adams, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro.	28697
Wade Phillips, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro.	28697
Frank Cooper, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro.	28697
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WALNUT GROVE: Robert Lamb, EP, Rt. 3, Wilkesboro.	28697
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MT. CARMEL: Bob Staley, Rt. 1, Boomer.	28606
MT. PLEASANT: Michael Walsh, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro.	28697
NEW HOPE: Everette Church, Rt. 1, Purlear.	28665
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David Key, Rt. 1, N. Wilkesboro.	28659
Clyde Harris, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro.	28659
PLEASANT GROVE: Gordon Church, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro.	28697
PLEASANT HOME: Gary McNeil, Rt. 1, Millers Creek.	28651
PURLEAR: Roy Grayum, Rt. 1, Millers Creek.	28651
ROCKY CREEK: Carl Shumate, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls.	28654
ZION HILL: Darrell J. Poole, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls.	28654

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PILGRIM: Frank Cooper, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro.	28697

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MT. CARMEL: Bob Staley, Rt. 1, Boomer.	28606
OAK GROVE: J. E. Johnson, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro.	28659
David Key, Rt. 1, North Wilkesboro.	28659
ROCKY CREEK: Carl Shumate, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls.	28654
ZION HILL: Darrell J. Pool, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls.	28654

Constitution

ARTICLE I—NAME

This body shall be known as the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association of North Carolina.

ARTICLE II—PURPOSE

It shall be the purpose of this association to consider and promote measures for increasing the harmony, the knowledge and the spiritual life of the churches and for developing and directing their energies and their contributions in the advancement of Christ's kingdom throughout the earth, always in harmony with the teachings of the New Testament. This association shall be an auxiliary to the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention in all their missionary, educational and benevolent work.

ARTICLE III—MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. The association shall be composed of cooperating Baptist churches desiring to affiliate with it. Each church may be represented in the annual associational meetings by its pastor and any other ordained ministers holding membership in it. In addition to these, each church may elect three (3) messengers for the first one hundred (100) members or major fraction thereof, plus one additional messenger for each additional one hundred (100) members or major fraction thereof, provided that no church shall be entitled to send more than ten (10) messengers.

Section 2. Any church desiring to become a member of the association shall present through messengers chosen for that purpose, its request for membership on APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP provided in the minutes along with a UNIFORM ASSOCIATIONAL LETTER provided by the clerk at any annual session of the body. The Moderator shall refer the church to the Committee on New Churches for study and investigation. The church maintains for the year the status of associate membership until the committee makes its recommendation, if favorable, it will be received into full membership with all the rights and privileges at the next annual session. If the association then votes to receive the church, the moderator shall extend the hand of fellowship to the messengers.

Section 3. Any church not representing itself in this body for two successive years, either by letter or by messengers shall be stricken from the roll of churches, unless satisfactory reasons for such failure are given.

Section 4. The association shall withdraw fellowship from any church in its membership which shall be found to be disorderly in faith and practice, but not until written charges are brought against it, which charges shall have been authorized by the official act of the church offering the same. Thereafter, any such charges shall be carefully considered by the association.

ARTICLE IV—OFFICERS AND THEIR DUTIES

Section 1. The officers of the association shall consist of a Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, Brotherhood Director, Woman's Missionary Union Director, Director of Music Ministry, School of Christian Studies Director, Director of Evangelism, Librarian and Representatives for the following: BIBLICAL RECORDER, Baptist Hospital, Children's Homes, Homes for Aging, Christian Higher Education, Annuity Board, American Bible Society, Home Missions, State Missions and Foreign Missions. These shall be elected annually on the second day of the annual session before the noon recess adjournment by a majority of the members voting and shall begin their term of office upon final adjournment of the session at which elected and shall continue in office until the close of the next annual session. Any officer may succeed himself, except the Moderator, who may not serve more than two years in succession.

The Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, Brotherhood Director, Woman's Missionary Union Director and Director of Evangelism, will be elected at the Executive Committee Meeting in August. After their election they will become a part of the Nominating Committee.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside at all meetings, preserve order, appoint all committees not otherwise provided for, and exercise all other duties of a presiding officer according to the principles of established parliamentary usage. He shall also, as far as his private duties may permit, visit and communicate with the churches between the sessions of the association to encourage and assist them in their work for the kingdom. He shall appoint a Nominating Committee and Committee on Committees at the annual meeting to serve for the following year. He shall be chairman of the Executive Committee and ex officio member of all other committees.

Section 3. The Vice-Moderator shall discharge the duties of the Moderator in his absence, or at his request, and be Vice Chairman of the Executive Committee.

Section 4. The Clerk shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the association; shall superintend their printing and distribution to the churches; shall send one copy each to the General Secretary of the Baptist State Convention, the Baptist Sunday School Board, Nashville, Tenn., the American Baptist Publication Society, Philadelphia, Pa., and to our denominational agencies or institutions requesting them; shall preserve a file of all association records; shall provide at least one month prior to the annual session of the association, form letters for the use of the churches in making their reports to the association and shall suggest to each church, based on the actual cost of printing, the amount needed for the printing and distribution of the Annual. He shall serve as Secretary of the Executive Committee.

Section 5. The Treasurer shall receive and disburse all funds of the association, as directed by the association, and make an itemized statement at each annual session.

Section 6. The Historian, in his sole discretion, shall collect facts of interest to the association and the cooperating churches, and shall make a report to each annual session of the association.

Section 7. The Trustees shall be three in number. It shall be their duty to hold in trust any property, endowment or other securities of this association, and to be representative of the association in legal matters.

ARTICLE V—COMMITTEES AND THEIR DUTIES

Section 1. At each annual session of the association the Moderator shall appoint a Nominating Committee composed of three members from as many different churches. It shall be the duty of this committee to nominate and present to the association at its next annual session a complete slate of officers and institutional representatives. After presentation of these nominations the Moderator shall give opportunity for nominations from the floor for any and all of these positions. Should vacancies occur by death or resignation, it shall be the duty of this committee to name a person to fill the vacant position until the next annual session of the association, with the approval of the Executive Committee.

Section 2. At each annual session of the association, the moderator shall appoint a Committee on Committees composed of seven members from as many different churches. It shall be the duty of this committee to nominate and present to the association at its next annual session, members of all standing committees not otherwise provided for in this constitution. Should vacancies occur by death or resignation, it shall be the duty of this committee to name a person to fill the vacant position until the next annual session of the association, with the approval of the Executive Committee.

Section 3. THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE shall consist of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Director, Associational Church Training Director, Director of Music Ministry, Associational W.M.U. Director, Associational Brotherhood Director and all the pastors of churches within the association together with one member from each church to be elected by the church. A quorum shall consist of ten (10) members of the committee, including four of the above mentioned officers, providing that either the Moderator or the Vice-Moderator is present. It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to cooperate with the Baptist State Convention and with the churches of the association in the promotion of any plans which may seem wise for the extension of Christ's kingdom, and to take such steps as may be necessary to put into successful operation any plans adopted by the association. The committee shall meet at least once each quarter at a time to be agreed upon or at the call of the Moderator. The officers of the association shall be the officers of this committee with the Moderator serving as chairman.

Section 4. THE ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS COMMITTEE shall be composed of the associational Sunday School Director, the associational Church Training Director, the associational Director of Music Ministry, the associational W.M.U. Director, the associational

Brotherhood Director and three pastors, who along with the chairman, shall be nominated by the Committee on Committees. It shall be the duty of this committee to cooperate with the associational Director of Missions in the extension of Baptist work throughout the associational area, and advise with him in matters pertaining to his work and activities. It shall also be the duty of the committee, in the event of a vacancy in the position of associational Director of Missions, to seek out and recommend to the Executive Committee or the association, a suitable person. It shall be the further duty of this committee to consult with the Finance Committee on matters of expense and to provide information to the Baptist State Convention officials which might be helpful in meeting missionary needs and to make recommendations to the association in matters of this kind.

Section 5. THE FINANCE COMMITTEE shall be composed of seven members with the Treasurer serving as ex officio member. It shall be the duty of this committee to plan and recommend to the Executive Committee and the association a financial budget for the coming year and to supervise the raising and expenditure of funds.

Section 6. THE COMMITTEE ON NEW CHURCHES shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to receive applications from churches seeking admission to the association and, after a visit or visits to such churches, careful investigation and deliberation, to report to the association on such applications in keeping with the provisions of this constitution.

Section 7. THE CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to study and recommend any necessary change in the constitution and bring reports as necessary to the association.

Section 8. THE ORDER OF BUSINESS COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to arrange the program for the annual session of the association and present the same for adoption at its opening session. The Moderator and Director of Missions will serve as special advisors on this committee.

Section 9. PLACE AND PREACHER COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to receive or solicit invitations for the place of meeting and to recommend to the annual session a place or places of meeting, preacher, and an alternate for such sermons or sermon to be presented in the discretion of the committee and the dates for the next annual session.

Section 10. THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duty it shall be to study and report on such resolutions as may be referred to it and to present such other resolutions as may be appropriate at the annual session.

Section 11. THE COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL SERVICE AND CIVIC RIGHTEOUSNESS shall be composed of three members from as many different churches whose duty it shall be to study the social and civic problems of our area, along with relevant literature available through the Christian Life Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention, and to report to the annual session of the association their findings along with recommendations for specific action by the association and/or cooperating churches.

Section 12. THE STEWARDSHIP AND COOPERATIVE PROGRAM COMMITTEE shall be composed of three members whose duties it shall be to encourage each church to teach and practice Bible stewardship, to give to associational missions, and to support world mission causes through the Cooperative Program.

Section 13. THE COMMITTEE ON EVANGELISM, composed of three members shall promote the work of evangelism in the association in cooperation with the State Department of Evangelism. All plans and programs to be subject to the approval of the association or its Executive Committee.

Section 14. THE CALENDAR COMMITTEE shall be composed of the following associational officers: Director of Missions, Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Brotherhood Director, Director of Music Ministry, and president of the Minister's Conference. This committee shall prepare an associational calendar for the year, and present same to the annual meeting, for adoption. This calendar shall be included in the annual.

Section 15. THE COMMITTEE ON ORDINATION, composed of seven ministers, shall, when requested by a member church, assist with the examination and ordination of candidates for the Gospel Ministry. Churches wishing to ordain ministers are requested to place their candidates before the committee at least thirty (30) days prior to the date set for ordination for examination on the following principles:

- a. Christian experience or conversion
- b. Call to the ministry

- c. Attitude toward denominational work and objects
- d. Support of denominational causes
- e. Moral and spiritual fitness
- f. Doctrinal beliefs
- g. Knowledge of the Bible

Candidates are to be ordained with the assistance of this committee only when they are serving a church or churches as pastor or having been called as pastor of a Baptist church of like faith and practice with those member churches of this association.

No candidate for ordination shall be considered by the committee who has not been a member of a cooperating church for at least one year.

Candidates are to be urged to prepare themselves for the ministry as far as possible in Baptist Institutions of Higher Learning.

This committee shall not recommend any candidate for ordination whom they feel will not bring honor and esteem to the Lord, to Southern Baptists and to the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association.

Recommendations will be made by the committee to the church where the candidate holds membership. The committee will assist the church in the ordination service at a time convenient to the church and to the members of the committee if such assistance is desired.

Section 16. THE COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS, composed of three members, shall bring a report at the annual meeting, leading in a memorial service, in memory of those reported by the churches as deceased since the last annual meeting.

Section 17. PROPERTIES COMMITTEE. This committee shall be composed of three members and shall have the responsibility of supervision of all properties belonging to the association and shall give attention to the condition of the properties owned by the association. This committee shall make such repairs or improvements as deemed necessary. All matters of major repairs or improvements shall be referred to the Finance Committee for action and recommendation to the Executive Committee. This committee shall make at least one inspection in each quarter of the year of all properties owned by the association.

ARTICLE VI—GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 1. The employment of a Director of Missions shall follow the procedure outlined in Section 4, Article V, with the understanding that said person be extended an indefinite call and that a period of 30 days notice be given by either the missionary or the association in the event of termination of such employment.

Section 2. The Director of Missions, under the supervision of the Associational Missions Committee, shall be empowered to procure and supervise such necessary secretarial and janitorial personnel for the proper operation and maintenance of the associational office, provided that funds for the hiring and salary of such personnel have been included within the current year's budget.

Section 3. All questions of order not herein provided for shall be decided according to ROBERT'S RULES OF ORDER, Revised.

Section 4. Amendments to this Constitution may be made at any annual session upon vote of two-thirds of the members present, provided that such amendments be presented on the first day of the annual session and voted upon the second day.

Section 5. ROTATING OF COMMITTEES. One-third of each committee shall be elected to serve a period of three years. Committees or parts of committees, composed of organizational heads shall not be subject to rotation. No member shall succeed himself. Vacancies occurring during the year may be filled immediately by the Executive Committee.

Section 6. SPECIAL ADVISORS. The Moderator and Director of Missions will serve on all committees of the association as special advisors.

BY-LAWS

1. The association shall convene annually on the first Monday in October and continue through the first Tuesday in October or longer in the judgment of the Committee on Order of Business and subject to the approval of the association.

2. Each session of the association shall be opened with religious exercise, conducted by whomsoever the Committee on Order of Business may designate.

3. A majority of the members present shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of any business except the matter of making changes in the Constitution.
4. Any member wishing to speak shall rise and address the Moderator, shall confine himself strictly to the question under consideration, and avoid the use of unnecessary personalities.
5. The members shall observe toward the officers and towards one another such courtesies as are becoming to Christians.
6. The annual associational year, for the purpose of reporting statistical information shall be September 1 to August 31, inclusive.
7. Amendments to the By-Laws may be made by a majority vote of members present at any annual meeting of the association.

Program

BRUSHY MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
104TH ANNUAL MEETING
MONDAY AFTERNOON, OCTOBER 6, 1975
GOSHEN CHURCH
MODERATOR: REV. GWYN BLACKBURN

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| 4:00 p.m. | Hymn | |
| | Welcome from Pastor..... | Rev. Dean Dillard |
| 4:05 p.m. | Scripture and Prayer..... | Rev. Clyde Church |
| 4:10 p.m. | Report of Committee on Order of Business..... | Rev. Allen Laymon |
| 4:15 p.m. | Recognition of New Pastors..... | Rev. I. V. Couch |
| 4:20 p.m. | Committee Reports | |
| | Appointment of Committees..... | Rev. Gwyn Blackburn |
| | Executive Committee Report..... | Rev. Gwyn Blackburn |
| | Nominating Committee Report..... | |
| | Committee on Committees..... | Dr. John T. Wayland |
| 4:40 p.m. | History of Goshen Church..... | Mr. J. F. Jordan |
| 4:50 p.m. | Historical Sketches of Churches..... | Mrs. Albert Holman |
| 4:55 p.m. | Miscellaneous Business | |
| 5:00 p.m. | Hymn | |
| 5:05 p.m. | Special Music | |
| 5:10 p.m. | Sermon..... | Dr. Howard Ford |
| 5:35 p.m. | Adjournment | |

MONDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 6, 1975

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| 7:00 p.m. | Hymn | |
| 7:05 p.m. | Scripture, Prayer and Welcome..... | Rev. Dean Dillard |
| 7:15 p.m. | Treasurer's Report..... | Mrs. Albert Holman |
| | Finance Committee Report..... | Mr. Curtis Greene |
| 7:25 p.m. | Mission Reports | |
| | Foreign..... | Mrs. Rena Spicer |
| | Home..... | Mr. Harold Tedder |
| | State..... | Rev. Hunter Church |
| | Associational..... | Rev. E. W. McMurray |
| 7:40 p.m. | Summary of Mission Reports..... | Rev. I. V. Couch |
| 7:55 p.m. | Properties Committee Report..... | Mr. Clyde Bumgarner |
| 8:00 p.m. | Hymn | |
| 8:05 p.m. | Special Music | |
| 8:15 p.m. | Sermon..... | Dr. Alton Hood, Medical Missionary in Thailand |
| 8.45 p.m. | Adjournment | |

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1975
MT. PLEASANT CHURCH

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| 9:00 a.m. | Hymn | |
| 9:05 a.m. | Scripture, Prayer and Welcome..... | Rev. J. C. Shaw |

9:10 a.m.	History of Mt. Pleasant Church.....	Mr. J. F. Jordan
9:20 a.m.	Organizational Reports	
	Music.....	Mr. Ellihu Sloan
	Baptist Men.....	Mr. Ray Shomaker
	Woman's Missionary Union.....	Mrs. Robert Foster
	Church Training.....	Rev. Carl Elledge
	Vacation Bible School.....	Rev. Glenn Byrd
	Sunday School.....	Mr. Bryce Greene
	School of Christian Studies.....	Rev. Paul Shoupe
9:35 a.m.	General Reports	
	American Bible Society.....	
	Evangelism.....	Rev. Sherrill Wellborn
	General Board.....	Rev. E. W. McMurray
	Stewardship and Cooperative Program.....	Rev. Paul Shoupe
	Ordination Committee Report.....	Rev. Allen Laymon
	Digest of Church Letters.....	Rev. I. V. Couch
9:50 a.m.	Hymn	
9:55 a.m.	Baptist Hospital	
	Representative	
10:10 a.m.	Homes for Aging.....	Mr. Bill Sturdivant
	Representative	
10:25 a.m.	Children's Homes.....	Rev. Horace Moree
	Representative	
10:40 a.m.	Break	
10:50 a.m.	Hymn	
10:55 a.m.	Christian Higher Education.....	Rev. Allen Laymon
	Representative	
11:10 a.m.	BIBLICAL RECORDER.....	Mrs. Virginia Jarvis
	Representative	
11:25 a.m.	Baptist Foundation.....	Representative
11:40 a.m.	Annuity Board.....	Rev. Clyde Church
	Representative	
11:55 a.m.	Miscellaneous Business	
12:05 p.m.	Time, Place and Preacher Report.....	Rev. Vaughn Brown
12:10 p.m.	In Memoriam.....	Mrs. Belva Gregory
12:15 p.m.	Resolutions Committee Report.....	Mrs. J. W. Andrews
12:20 p.m.	Hymn	
12:25 p.m.	Special Music	
12:30 p.m.	Annual Sermon.....	Rev. Carl Elledge
1:00 p.m.	Adjournment and Lunch	

MESSENGERS REGISTERED 1975

Pastor of church listed first in bold type.

BETHANY: C. J. Pool

BEAVER CREEK: Mrs. Edward Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Parks Hayes, Myrtle Horton

BOILING SPRINGS: REV. R. A. CALL, Rev. and Mrs. Wiley Carroll, Tom Nichols, Turner Huffman, Mrs. Luther Parsons, Mrs. Rollen Bishop

CALVARY: Edsel Minton, Opal Minton, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Eller, W. H. Minton, Numa Church

CUB CREEK: REV. GLENN BYRD, Mrs. Glenn Byrd, Mr. and Mrs. James Carson, Mrs. Robert Johnson, Mrs. Earl Welborn, Mrs. Agnes Johnson

DAVIS MEMORIAL: Annie Harris, Lucille Harris, Jettie Scott

EDGEWOOD: REV. FRANK WALKER, Mrs. Clifford Moore, Pansy Moore, Commie Hayes, Mrs. Dennis Brannock, J. W. Hayes

ELK: REV. JAMES WEAVER, Edith McNeil, Mrs. E. C. Eller, Mr. and Mrs. James McNeil, Mrs. Clark McNeil

FISHING CREEK: REV. VAUGHN BROWN, Mrs. Carl Miller, Ruth Johnson, Mrs. Zora Jarvis

FRIENDLY GROVE: Mrs. Roland Englebert, Mrs. Odell Eller

GOSHEN: REV. DEAN DILLARD, Rev. Clyde Church

HINSHAW STREET: REV. D. FRANK BLEVINS, JR., Sherrill Gambill, Mrs. Michael Pardue, Virgie Sprinkle, Mrs. Oma Deal, Virginia Jarvis, Everette Elledge, Sr.

LEWIS FORK: REV. SHERRILL D. WELLBORN, Harold Messick, Mrs. Waldon Foster, Linda A. Plemmons, Norma Jean Wood, James Triplett

LIBERTY GROVE: REV. PAUL SHOUPPE, Laurell Shoupe

LITTLE ROCK: REV. CARL WALKER, Mrs. Carl Walker, Mrs. Everette Griffin, R. H. Transou

MILLERS CREEK: O. L. Phillips, Rosie Shepherd, Ada Phillips, Rena Spicer, Mrs. Clate Bumgarner

MORAVIAN FALLS: REV. E. W. McMURRAY, Rev. N. C. Teague, L. G. Critcher, Mrs. Gilbert Foster, Mrs. Cody Lowe, Mrs. E. D. Greer

MT. CARMEL: REV. PAUL LAWS, Mrs. Henry Clanton, Frances Clanton, Deeda Pearson, Bob Staley

MT. PLEASANT: Bill Woods, R. C. Greene, Bruce Miles, J. C. McNeil, Helen Nunn

MT. ZION: John Barnett, Mrs. John Barnett, Annie Ruth Welborn, Rea Hodges, Madeline Welborn

NEW HOPE: REV. HUNTER CHURCH, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Canter, Mrs. Alda Eller, Connie Eller, Roby Eller

N. WILKESBORO FIRST: REV. ALLEN LAYMON, Dr. and Mrs. John T. Wayland, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Sturdivant, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Crook, William A. Byrd, E. E. Sloan, Max Foster, C. B. Eller

OAK GROVE: REV. GLENN CAUDILL, Spencer Yates, Verdine Yates, Emma Sheets, Arlie Absher

OAKWOODS: REV. FRANK HOLLIFIELD, John R. Ellis, Miss Nora Laws, Margaret Johnson

PILGRIM: Mrs. Kermit Whittington, Mrs. Pete Williams

PLEASANT GROVE: REV. PHIL CHAPMAN, Ruth Church, Ella Mae Parsons, Richard Parsons, Judy Chapman, Mrs. Richard Parsons

PLEASANT HOME: REV. GWYN BLACKBURN, Mrs. Alma Blackburn, Mrs. Paul Hudler, Mrs. B. F. Lane, Paul Hudler, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Blackburn

PURLEAR: Allie L. Winger, Tom W. Hayes, Mrs. Tom Hayes

ROARING RIVER: Mrs. Alma Wood, Carol M. Evans, M. M. Prevette

SHADY GROVE: REV. HUBERT LEE BULLIS, Mrs. Hubert Bullis, Mr. and Mrs. William Minton, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Owens

SHARON WALKER: Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Payne

STONY HILL: Ella Mae Parsons, Gladys Whittington, Veta Whittington

WALNUT GROVE: REV. HORACE MOREE, Mrs. J. B. Parlier, Bessie Brock, Mrs. Worth Bentley, Mrs. W. R. Parlier, Maude Smith, Mrs. E. R. Edsel

WELCOME HOME: REV. CARL ELLEDGE, Gwyn Eller, Edwin Walker, Mrs. Eva Dyer, Sherman Shumate, Hazel Anderson

WILKESBORO: REV. ALFRED ANDREWS, Rachel Phillips, Mabel B. Priester, Sherry Stone, Robert A. Triplett, Phillip Stone, Cordia Johnson, Lillian Foster

ZION HILL: REV. LAVELLE WATERS, Mrs. Bill Earp, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. Turner Church

Number registered first day, 168—second day, 176

Final registration for the two days showed every church registered except Cricket, Gordon, Harmony, N. Wilkesboro Second, and Rocky Creek, with 179 registered messengers and 66 registered visitors from the churches, and 11 visitors from outside the association, making a total of 246 registered messengers and visitors.

REGISTERED VISITORS FROM OUTSIDE ASSOCIATION

Dr. Howard Ford, Baptist State Convention; Calvin Knight, Baptist Hospital; J. Parker McLendon, Mills Home; Mr. and Mrs. Marse Grant, BIBLICAL RECORDER; Bill Poole, Homes for Aging; Dr. Alton Hood, Wake Forest; Rev. Earl Adams, Stone Mountain Association; Rev. E. O. Bustle, Director of Missions, Avery-Stony Fork Association; Una Holbrook, Flint Hill Baptist; Mrs. Vernon Jarvis, Antioch Baptist.

Proceedings

of the
ONE HUNDRED FOURTH ANNUAL SESSION
of the
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
held with
GOSHEN AND MOUNT PLEASANT BAPTIST CHURCHES

NOTE: BOR is used in the Proceedings for the Book of Reports.

1. The 104th Annual Session of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association was called to order by the Moderator, the Reverend Gwyn R. Blackburn, at 4 p.m. on Monday, October 6, 1975, at Goshen Baptist Church. The congregation sang "Jesus Saves" led by Phil Stone with Ellihu Sloan at the organ and Mrs. Walter Stinson, pianist.

2. The Reverend Dean Dillard, pastor of Goshen Church, extended a welcome to everyone.

3. The Reverend Clyde Church read scripture from I Corinthians 12 and 13, and led in prayer.

4. The Report of the Committee on Order of Business, pages 1 and 2, BOR, was presented by Allen Laymon and adopted as printed.

5. I. V. Couch, Director of Missions, recognized new pastors in the association this year and extended a welcome to them. Jerry Gwaltney, Bethany; Jerry Key, Friendly Grove; Frank Blevins, Hinshaw Street; Hubert Bullis, Shady Grove; Phil Chapman, Pleasant Grove.

6. The Moderator appointed a Nominating Committee of Rev. Dean Dillard, Goshen Church, Chairman; Sherill Gambill, Hinshaw Street Church; D. F. Beshears, Purlear Church, and a Committee on Committees composed of Joe Parsons, Millers Creek Church, Chairman; Donald Hendren, Bethany Church; Mrs. James Cook, N. Wilkesboro First; Mrs. Albert Holman, Lewis Fork Church; Rev. Glenn Byrd, Cub Creek Church; Craig Little, Zion Hill Church and John Johnson, Moravian Falls Church.

7. The Nominating Committee Report, pages 3 and 4, BOR, was presented by I. V. Couch. Moved and seconded that all nominations be accepted. Passed.

8. The Executive Committee Report, page 6, BOR, was given by Gwyn Blackburn and adopted as read.

9. The Committee on Committees Report, page 5, BOR, was presented by John Wayland. Adopted.

10. The History of Goshen Church was read by Mrs. Albert Holman for Mr. J. F. Jordan and adopted as read.

11. Mrs. Albert Holman read the Historical Sketches of the churches, page 8, BOR, Adopted as read.

12. During the Miscellaneous Business session, the up-dated and revised Constitution was presented by I. V. Couch to be voted on in Tuesday's session. Vaughn Brown suggested that the word TIME be removed from Time, Place and Preacher Committee. Carl Elledge suggested the word AND be changed to OR, Article V, Sec. 4, "to recommend to the Executive Committee OR the association."

Rev. I. V. Couch read his resignation to accept the call as pastor of Millers Creek Baptist Church, to become effective November 15. The association expressed their regrets and also their appreciation for his work. Motion was made and passed to accept his resignation.

A motion was made by E. W. McMurray to receive a love offering for Brother Couch at both sessions and give the churches opportunity to send an offering to the associational office by November 15. Accepted.

Carl Elledge made a motion that the Saturday morning Radio Program "The Brushy Mountain Baptist Association Newscast" be continued until a new Director of Missions could be secured and if a fourth sponsor could not be found that the association assume the cost of \$5.75 per week. Seconded and passed.

A motion was made by Glenn Byrd that the Properties Committee be given authority to employ someone for lawn upkeep and janitorial duties at the associational office. Passed.

Dr. John Wayland presented the Christian ministry of the food and clothes closet and urged the churches to take part in this ministry by putting it in their budget or sending a love gift.

13. Hymn, "The Solid Rock."

14. The special music was rendered by a Male Quartet composed of Allen Laymon, Bill Byrd, Ellihu Sloan, First Baptist Church of North Wilkesboro, and Phillip Stone of Wilkesboro Church. Mrs. Walter Stinson, accompanist.

15. Dr. Howard Ford, Director of State Missions of the Baptist State Convention, brought a very inspiring message. He read scripture from Ephesians 1:15-23.

16. Adjournment for supper with prayer by Wiley Carroll.

17. The evening session convened at 7 p.m. The congregation sang "I Will Sing The Wondrous Story," page 53, new Baptist Hymnal.

18. Scripture, Prayer and Welcome was by Earl Adams, with scripture from Philippians 2.

19. The Treasurer's Report, page 19, BOR, was given by Mrs. Albert Holman. Adopted.

20. The Finance Committee Report, page 21, BOR, was given by Curtis Greene. Glenn Byrd made a motion to amend the budget to include \$600 to pay for lawn upkeep and janitorial work at the associational office. Amendment approved. Budget adopted.

21. The Foreign Missions Report, page 22, BOR, given by Rena Spicer was adopted.

22. I. V. Couch gave the Home Mission Report, page 20, BOR, for Harold Tedder. Accepted.

23. The State Missions Report, page 23, BOR, was given by Hunter Church. Adopted.

24. E. W. McMurray presented the Associational Missions Committee Report, page 24, BOR, Adopted.

25. A summary of the mission reports was given by I. V. Couch.

26. A love offering was received for I. V. Couch.

27. The Properties Committee Report, page 25, BOR, was presented by I. V. Couch and accepted.

28. Congregational Hymn, "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus."

29. Special music by the Male Quartet.

30. The speaker for the evening session was Dr. Alton Hood, Medical Missionary to Thailand. He presented a wonderful program with his testimony and slides of his work in Thailand.

31. Meeting adjourned until Tuesday morning at 9 a.m.

SECOND DAY

32. The second day of the 104th Annual Meeting of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association was called to order by the Reverend Vaughn Brown, at 9 a.m. Tuesday, October 7, 1975, at Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church. The congregation sang Hymn No. 1, Broadman Hymnal, "All Hail The Power of Jesus Name," led by Phil Stone with Ellihu Sloan at the organ.

33. Curtis Greene extended a welcome to everyone.

34. Scripture and Prayer was by N. C. Teague. He read from II Timothy 2.

35. The History of Mount Pleasant Church was read by J. C. McNeil. Adopted as read.

36. The Music Report, page 35, BOR, was given by Ellihu Sloan. Adopted.

37. I. V. Couch presented the Baptist Men's Report, page 31, BOR. Adopted.

38. The WMU Report page 26, BOR, was given by Mrs. Robert Foster. Adopted.

39. The Church Training Report, page 32, BOR, was given by Carl Elledge and moved for adoption. He spoke on the concern or lack of concern of training in the churches.

40. Mrs. Glenn Byrd gave the Vacation Bible School Report, page 31, BOR. Adopted.

41. The Sunday School Report, page 28, BOR, was read by Bryce Greene and adopted.

42. The School of Christian Studies Report, page 30, BOR, was given by Paul Shoupe. Adopted.

43. The American Bible Society Report was adopted as printed, page 34, BOR.

44. Evangelism Report, page 29, BOR, was given by I. V. Couch for Sherrill Wellborn. Adopted.

45. The General Board Report was read by E. W. McMurray and adopted.

46. Paul Shoupe presented the Stewardship and Cooperative Program Report, page 30, BOR. Adopted.

47. The Ordination Committee Report, page 33, BOR, given by I. V. Couch for Allen Laymon was adopted.

48. Digest of Church Letters, page 37, BOR, was presented by I. V. Couch.

49. Congregational Hymn, "We're Marching to Zion."

50. The Baptist Hospital Report, page 27, BOR, was presented as printed and Calvin Knight, Representative from the Baptist Hospital in Winston Salem, spoke to the report.

51. Bill Sturdivant presented the Homes for Aging Report, page 36, BOR, and introduced William Poole, representative from the Homes. Report accepted.

52. The Children's Homes Report, page 27, BOR, was presented by Horace Moree and moved for adoption. Speaker for the report was Parker McLendon from Mills Home in Thomasville.

53. Break

54. Session resumed with Gwyn Blackburn as Moderator. The congregation sang Hymn no. 19, Broadman Hymnal, "Love Divine."

55. Christian Higher Education Report, page 33, BOR, was moved for adoption by Allen Laymon. There was no speaker. Seconded and passed.

56. The BIBLICAL RECORDER Report, page 35, BOR, was given by Virginia Jarvis and adopted. Speaker was Marse Grant, editor of the RECORDER.

57. Baptist Foundation Report, page 34, BOR, given by I. V. Couch, was adopted. E. O. Bus-tle, Director of Missions, Avery-Stony Fork Association, spoke to the report.

58. The Annuity Board Report, page 32, BOR, was given by Clyde Church. Oren Bradley, Director of Missions, Surry Association, spoke to the report.

59. During the Miscellaneous Business session a love gift was presented to Mrs. Albert Hol-man in appreciation of her work as secretary, clerk and treasurer for the past six years.

A Love Offering was taken for I. V. Couch.

The revised and up-dated Constitution was adopted.

The association voted to send a letter to Mr. J. F. Jordan in appreciation of his years of serv-ice and the contributions he has made to Baptist life. (He had missed only one annual meeting in 51 years).

60. Time, Place and Preacher Committee Report was given by Vaughn Brown. They recom-mended the 105th Annual Session be: First Day, October 4, 1976, Cub Creek Church, with the message by a representative of the Baptist State Convention; and, Second Day, October 5, 1976, at Fishing Creek Church, with the annual sermon by Glenn Byrd, alternate, Sherrill Wellborn.

61. In Memoriam was given by Mrs. Belva Gregory.

62. The Resolution Committee Report was read by Mrs. J. W. Andrews and adopted.

63. Hymn "Blessed Assurance."

64. Special Music by Mrs. James Lovette, "I'm a Pilgrim."

65. The annual sermon by Rev. Carl Elledge, pastor of Welcome Home Baptist Church. He read scripture from Matthew 25:14-30.

66. The Moderator presented the gavel to the Reverend Vaughn Brown.

67. Adjournment and lunch by host church. Prayer by Marse Grant.

In Memoriam

BEAVER CREEK: Mr. Bron Minton

BETHANY: Mrs. Dora Mae Hayes, Mrs. Allie Mae Tevepough, Mr. Odell Moore, Deacon

BOILING SPRINGS: Mrs. Coy Huffman, Mr. Ben Whittington, Mrs. Darcus Huffman

CALVARY: Rev. Howard Bumgarner

CUB CREEK: Mrs. Linda H. Owens

DAVIS MEMORIAL: Mrs. Daisy Ferguson

EDGEWOOD: Mr. Felix Johnston, Deacon, Mr. Carey Moore, Mrs. Roxie Parker, Mrs.

Ina Soots, Miss Mary Jane Johnston, Mrs. Carrie Benge Call

FISHING CREEK: Mrs. Thomas Call, Mr. Lance Pennell, Mrs. Oid Wiles, Mr. J. D.

McLain, Miss Irene Teague, Mr. John Mastin, Deacon

FRIENDLY GROVE: Mr. J. A. Chauncey, Deacon

GOSHEN: Mr. Jesse Walsh, Sr., Deacon

HINSHAW STREET: Mr. Clarence Hayes, Deacon, Mrs. Bertha Baker, Mr. Lawrence L.

Norris, Mrs. Minnie Porter, Mrs. Pearl Barnett

LEWIS FORK: Mrs. Allie Church, Mr. Mansfield Goforth, Mrs. Grant Goforth, Mrs. Ben-

jamin Frazier, Mr. Mathis Elledge

MILLERS CREEK: Mrs. Dovie Blackburn, Mrs. Doris Eller Hensley, Mrs. Sena G. Tulbert

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MORAVIAN FALLS: Mr. F. M. Cross, Mr. Daryl Gant
 MOUNT PLEASANT: Mr. Tom Walsh, Mrs. Beula Eller, Mrs. Zora Rhymer
 MOUNT ZION: Mr. D. M. Triplett, Mr. Creed Hendrix
 NEW HOPE: Mr. Gwyn John McNeil, Mrs. Dare Church Crump, Mr. John T. Vannoy,
 Deacon, Mrs. Mertie S. Spears
 NORTH WILKESBORO FIRST: Mrs. Ralph Frazier, Mr. C. B. Yates, Mr. J. F. Woodward,
 Deacon, Mr. E. C. Nichols, Mrs. Charles Day, Jr., Mr. Don Melville, Mr. R. H.
 Lewellyn, Deacon, Mr. Conrad Kilby, Mrs. L. A. Harris
 NORTH WILKESBORO SECOND: Mrs. Maude Owens, Mr. Charlie Shumate, Mrs. Min-
 nie Shumate Stone
 OAK GROVE: Mr. A. A. Parsons, Deacon
 OAKWOODS: Mr. Bynum Triplette, Mrs. John Ellis, Mr. Raymond Cleary
 PLEASANT GROVE: Miss Judy Staley, Mrs. Josie Milam, Mr. R. C. Wray
 PLEASANT HOME: Mr. Lawrence McNeil, Mr. B. F. Lane, Deacon, Mr. Howard Royal
 SHADY GROVE: Mr. John Walsh
 WALNUT GROVE: Mrs. Emma H. Smith, Mrs. Janie Davis, Mr. Sherman Bentley
 WELCOME HOME: Mrs. Ronda Hutchinson, Mr. Sam Pierce, Mr. Dale McNeil, Deacon,
 Mr. Orrin Parsons, Deacon, Mr. John Williams
 WILKESBORO: Mrs. T. M. Foster, Mr. L. L. Godfrey, Mr. W. J. Hudson, Mrs. Margaret
 Lovette, Mrs. Lucy Morrison, Mrs. Edgar Staley
 ZION HILL: Mrs. Frances Greer

HONOR CLERKS

Mrs. Marguerite Hayes	Beaver Creek
Turner Huffman	Boiling Springs
Mrs. Frank E. Parrish	Cricket
Mrs. Paul Fairchild	Davis Memorial
Mrs. Dennis Brannock	Edgewood
Mrs. Joe Wolfe	Elk
Donald Parker	Fishing Creek
Lester Burgess	Gordon
Rob Roy Jones	Goshen
Mrs. Waldon Foster	Lewis Fork
Mrs. O. B. Smith	Little Rock
Mrs. Eugene Canter	Millers Creek
Mrs. Howard Pearson	Mount Carmel
Wayne Phillips	New Hope
Mrs. James Harvel	North Wilkesboro First
Mrs. Jackie Parsons	Oak Grove
Mrs. Olin Foster	Pilgrim
Jerry Hamby	Pleasant Grove
Mrs. Zack York	Pleasant Home
Miss Judy A. Huffman	Purlear
Mrs. R. J. Reavis	Roaring River
Mrs. William Walker	Shady Grove
Burl Ritch	Sharon Walker
Mrs. Anita Johnson	Stony Hill
Mrs. Spencer Broyhill	Walnut Grove
Chalmer Dyer	Welcome Home
Robert Triplett	Wilkesboro

HISTORICAL SKETCHES OF CHURCHES

BETHANY—Picnic shelter, new ceiling, air conditioning.
 DAVIS MEMORIAL—Ordained Rev. Paul Fairchild.

ELK—Organized Youth for Christ Class for young people, surveyed church property and plotted cemetery, purchased communion trays.
 FISHING CREEK—Started new Educational Building.
 GOSHEN—Observed Bicentennial Sunday July 13 and 20.
 HINSHAW STREET—Paid off the pastorium debt, making church debt free.
 LEWIS FORK—Dedicated new educational building and organized W.M.U. and mission organizations.
 MOUNT CARMEL—Installed new furnace, built fellowship hall, carpeted Sunday School rooms, installed stained glass windows.
 OAK GROVE—Ordained Rev. Hobert Jones.
 PILGRIM—Ordained Rev. Frank Cooper, dedicated Fellowship Hall and Educational Building.
 PLEASANT GROVE—Purchased Parsonage.
 PLEASANT HOME—Purchased new organ, carpeted pastorium.
 ROARING RIVER—Signs for each classroom, a water fountain, painted the parsonage and put up new shutters. Donated: riding lawn mower, typewriter, adding machine and safe, also a vase in memory of Bessie Caudill.
 ZION HILL—Mission Organizations: Brotherhood, W.M.U., Girls in Action, Acteens, and Mission Friends.

TREASURER'S REPORT 1974-75 (9/1/74 to 8/31/75)

	Mission Support	Special Offering	Total
BEAVER CREEK	\$479.43		\$479.43
BETHANY	543.53		543.53
BOILING SPRINGS	164.25	20.00	184.25
CALVARY	0		0
CRICKET	0		0
CUB CREEK	535.00	179.08	714.08
DAVIS MEMORIAL	233.64		233.64
EDGEWOOD	100.00		100.00
ELK	115.63		115.63
FISHING CREEK	600.00		600.00
FRIENDLY GROVE	0		0
GORDON (from individual)	10.00		10.00
GOSHEN	115.50		115.50
HARMONY	627.66		627.66
HINSHAW ST.	894.75	48.75	943.50
LEWIS FORK	150.00		150.00
LIBERTY GROVE	390.00		390.00
LITTLE ROCK	275.00	42.75	317.75
MILLERS CREEK	1,316.90	15.00	1,331.90
MORAVIAN FALLS	415.00	61.00	476.00
MT. CARMEL	10.00		10.00
MT. PLEASANT	357.50		357.50
MT. ZION	210.00		210.00
NEW HOPE	300.00	154.00	454.00
N. WILKESBORO 1 ST	3,366.31		3,366.31
N. WILKESBORO 2ND	169.00		169.00
OAK GROVE	120.00		120.00
OAKWOODS	360.00		360.00
PILGRIM	225.00		225.00
PLEASANT GROVE	0		0
PLEASANT HOME	240.00	82.65	322.65
PURLEAR	60.00		60.00
ROARING RIVER	84.00		84.00
ROCKY CREEK	100.00		100.00
SHADY GROVE	0		0
SHARON WALKER	0		0
STONY HILL	0		0

WALNUT GROVE	500.00		500.00
WELCOME HOME	101.74	44.25	145.99
WILKESBORO	3,520.00		3,520.00
ZION HILL	574.81		574.81
TOTAL	<u>\$17,264.65</u>	<u>\$647.48</u>	<u>\$17,912.13</u>

BANK BALANCE 9/1/74		\$2,825.54
CHURCHES (inc. special offering)		17,912.13
STATE MISSIONS		1,500.00
TAX REFUND		38.58
ANNUALS		841.00
OTHER (Individuals)		340.08
FROM MINISTERS CONFERENCE		70.00
Kemp Duncan (for driveway)		225.00
Twin City Paving (10% of bill)		110.00
Refund on Hospital Insurance		65.52
Camps		312.00
S.S. Training School (Organization Prom.)		<u>168.84</u>
TOTAL RECEIPTS		<u>\$24,409.09</u>

EXPENDITURES 1974-75

MISSIONARY'S		Parsonage/Office Insurance	\$255.60
Salary	\$5,820.00	Conventions and Conferences	400.00
Retirement Benefits	520.00	Annuals	679.28
Auto Allowance	2,000.00	Clerk	75.00
Hospital Insurance	351.99	Treasurer	75.00
Life Insurance	239.40	Organizational Promotions	271.53
Annuity	520.08	Vacation Bible School	100.00
		Miscellaneous	163.64
OFFICE		Audio Visuals	284.00
Supply	877.17	Ministers Conference	100.00
Help	2,008.83	Property Repairs	2,004.31
Utilities	736.40	Annual Meeting Expense	<u>200.00</u>
Upkeep	238.31	Sub-Total	<u>\$18,870.84</u>
		Camps	<u>266.55</u>
PARSONAGE		TOTAL EXP.	<u>\$19,137.39</u>
Utilities	900.00		
Upkeep	50.30	BANK BALANCE 9/1/75	\$5,271.70

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Albert Holman, Treasurer

BRUSHY MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

BUDGET 1975-76

	1974-75 Budget	1975-76 Proposed
ANTICIPATED INCOME		
Gifts from churches	\$18,602.84	\$18,315.00
Annual Fund	861.00	800.00
State Missions	<u>1,500.00</u>	<u>1,000.00</u>
TOTAL ANTICIPATED INCOME	<u>\$20,963.84</u>	<u>\$20,115.00</u>
ANTICIPATED EXPENDITURES		
Missionary's Salary	\$5,820.00	\$6,402.00
Missionary's Retirement, Soc. Sec.	520.00	520.00
Missionary's Auto Allowance	2,000.00	2,000.00

Missionary's Hospital Insurance	791.04	500.00
Missionary's Life Insurance	240.00	240.00
Missionary's Annuity	520.00	520.00
Office Supplies	1,000.00	1,200.00
Office Help	2,204.80	2,250.00
Office Utilities	650.00	810.00
Office Maintenance & Repair	300.00	300.00
Office Grounds Upkeep & Janitorial Work		600.00
Parsonage Utilities	900.00	1,000.00
Parsonage Maintenance & Repair	100.00	200.00
Parsonage/Office Insurance	284.00	284.00
Conventions and Conferences	400.00	400.00
Annals	675.00	680.00
Associational Speakers (Annual Meeting)		100.00
Annual Meeting Expense	200.00	200.00
Organizational Promotions	375.00	375.00
Vacation Bible School	100.00	200.00
Miscellaneous	350.00	350.00
Audio Visuals	284.00	284.00
Ministers Conference	100.00	200.00
Capital Improvements (office)		500.00
Property Repairs	3,000.00	
Associational Clerk	75.00	
Associational Treasurer	75.00	
TOTAL ANTICIPATED EXPENDITURES	<u>\$20,963.84</u>	<u>\$20,115.00</u>

Respectfully submitted,

Mr. Curtis Greene, Chairman

Rev. R. A. Call

Rev. Carl Walker

Mr. Wayne Greer

Mr. J. R. Priestler

Mrs. Edward Church

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

The Executive Committee of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association met 4 times in the past year at the Wilkesboro Baptist Church. At each meeting the minutes of the previous meeting were read, a treasurer's report given and reports from each organization given.

November 4, 1974 there were 16 present representing 12 churches. The Missions Committee recommended that each church receive a special offering to give to Rev. Couch in appreciation of his 4 years with us. Also a plaque be given expressing our appreciation. The application for State Aid in the amount of \$1500 was approved.

February 10, 1975, 24 present, 17 churches represented. The committee approved the recommendation from the Missions Committee that the association assume full responsibility for the Reservoir Ministry.

Rev. E. W. McMurray reported that many churches have increased their giving to missions and some have started giving to world missions through the Cooperative Program.

May 5, 1975, a letter from the Stone Mountain Association was read from the Missions Committee expressing appreciation for the use of office equipment, etc., until they could acquire the necessary equipment to be used in their own office.

The Properties Committee brought the following recommendations which were approved:

1. That the parking lot and driveway be paved at the cost of \$900. (Mr. Duncan would pay half the cost of driveway).
2. That a security light be installed by Duke Power.
3. To purchase and bury a 550 gallon fuel tank at the cost of \$140.
4. That the property be surveyed to determine the boundry lines.
5. That the buildings be painted at a later time.

In the report from the Evangelism Committee, Alfred Andrews stated that the committee recommended that a Lay Evangelism School be held in 1976 on February 23-26 with three nights training and one night practicing what is learned, and simultaneous revivals within the association be held in March or April. Recommendations accepted.

August 4, 1975, Clyde Bumgarner, chairman of the Properties Committee, reported that all

the improvements that were voted on at the last meeting had been completed except the surveying and some painting. He brought a recommendation from the Properties Committee that someone be hired to putty the windows, paint and gutter parsonage and trim the trees. He made a motion that \$1500 be used for repairs. Motion carried.

Rev. Joe Crouch, chairman of the Nominating Committee recommended the following officers for the coming year: Church Training—Rev. Carl Elledge; Sunday School—Mr. Bryce Greene; WMU—Mrs. Robert Foster; Brotherhood—Mr. Max Freeman; Music Director—Mr. Elihu Sloan.

Respectfully submitted,
Gwyn Blackburn, Moderator

A BRIEF HISTORY OF GOSHEN BAPTIST CHURCH

Whereas the history of this church was written in 1959 and recorded in the associational minutes of that year on pages 43 to 48, and a second sketch of history in the 1965 minutes on pages 41 to 42, further reference to that period will not be mentioned.

Pastors who have served the church since 1965: Richard Byrd, 1966-68, James Williams, 1968-73; Glenn Ballard, 1973-74; Dean Dillard, 1974-present.

In 1968 the church voted to build kitchen cabinets and 2 Sunday school rooms in the basement of the church and to insulate the ceiling with six inches of insulation at a cost of \$375.

In 1969 the church building was air-conditioned at a cost of \$3000. In June of 1969, the church voted to go full time and to pay the pastor \$500 per month. Also in 1969 the church voted to build a pastorium on the property of the church, cost was \$23,804.12. Rev. and Mrs. John Higgins donated \$5000. for the pastorium.

Improvements made in 1970: church enlarged choir loft at a cost of \$1203.71, a tractor and mowing supplies were purchased at a cost of \$700., and a building was erected to house this equipment at a cost of \$306.62.

In 1972 the parking lot was paved by Twin City Paving at a cost of \$3000—Twin City donated \$300 to the church, balance church paid was \$2700. The church purchased 4 acres of land from Jarvis Walsh for \$4000.

At the September 23, 1973 meeting the church voted to give \$500 to the Christian Action League, \$200 to the Goshen Fire Department and \$25 each to the Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts.

Clyde Church served the church as interim pastor during the time they were without a pastor in 1974. Rev. Dillard preached his first sermon at the church on August 4, 1974.

Improvements made in 1974: installed carpet on the parsonage steps, poured patio and steps at the parsonage, cost \$252.25; finished parsonage basement and bought drapes for the parsonage at a cost of \$2867.82.

Also in 1974 the church voted to increase their gifts to the association from \$60 to \$120 per year and increase the salary of their revival speaker from \$125 to \$150.

On December 8, 1974 the church adopted a Church Constitution as presented by their Constitution Committee.

In 1975, carpet was installed in 3 classrooms, office, and hall; 43 Baptist Hymnals were purchased.

March 5, 1975, the church voted to give 5% of total plate offerings per year through the Cooperative Program.

In 1975 the church basement was finished (floor covering, paint, etc.) cost was \$1563.40. Also a dehumidifier was purchased for the parsonage basement.

On June 4, 1975 the church voted to call Clyde Church as associate pastor with a salary of \$35 per week. The week of July 13-20 was designated as Bicentennial week with "Old Fashioned Day" on the 13th and 20th and a picnic lunch on the 20th. Church clerks since 1965: Jesse Walsh, Sr., 1966-74 and Rob Roy Jones, 1974-present.

At the present time, the church has a total membership of 250 with 134 enrolled in Sunday School and 56 in Church Training.

Respectfully submitted,
J. F. Jordan, Historian

HISTORY OF MOUNT PLEASANT BAPTIST CHURCH

Whereas the history of this church was written in 1965 and recorded in the Associational minutes of that year, further reference to that period will not be mentioned.

In 1967, an oil painting of the Jordan River scene was done by Mrs. Edwin McGee and presented to the church by pastor, J. C. Shaw and family. Also in May of that same year, an Educational Building and Fellowship Hall was started and completed.

In the month of January 1969, Mr. and Mrs. Hoke McNeil presented a piano to the church to be used in the Fellowship Hall.

During the month of March 1969, Brother J. C. McNeil, one of the life deacons, read the minutes of the Constitution of Mount Pleasant Church and gave a list of members in 1875, given to him forty-one (41) years ago, by Mary Smith, daughter of Frank Eller, who was pastor at that time.

Brother Vensley Eller headed a committee to grade and pave a parking lot across the road from the church. This was done and the debt paid.

In June, permission was granted to Wilkes Telephone Corp. to hook on to the church water line to supply the exchange building at no cost.

Then in July, an air conditioner was installed in the nursery of the church.

November, Brother Carl Bullis, Mrs. Sue Eller and Mrs. Belva Minton were appointed as a committee to draw plans for kitchen cabinets in the church fellowship hall. Brother Bullis drew the plans and made the cabinets donating all the labor.

Several events took place in the year 1970. In January Brother Glenn Wingler donated a hospital bed to be used by the church in community needs. March: The church parsonage driveway was graded and paved at a total cost of \$1,120.70 by Twin City Paving Co. doing the work. The company also donated \$568.70 to the cost.

June: The Nursery was enlarged by adding one room and it was completely carpeted. In November, new choir robes were purchased for the Adult and Youth choirs.

In April, 1971, the church was air conditioned. The units consisted of one five (5) ton and three (3) ton units at the cost of \$1,850.00. During the month of August, Brother Michael Walsh was licensed to preach the gospel. Then in October, Brother Jeffrey Walsh was ordained as a deacon of the church.

October 1972, a Brotherhood was organized in the church with Brother Ernest Walsh as president. Brother Bill Wood was ordained as a deacon.

1973, The following committee was appointed to serve with the present building committee: Brother Ralph Church, Eugene Triplette, and Harry Foster to see that the front of the church building was remodeled. Also the entire church was repainted.

October—Brother S. L. Turner resurfaced the road leading to the church parsonage at no cost to the church.

In May of 1974, the floors of the Fellowship Hall were tiled with the tile being donated by brother Ernest Walsh.

August—Brother John H. McKuhen was ordained to the Gospel ministry to become pastor of the Moravian Falls Baptist Mission.

October—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Foster contributed shrubbery and bark to decorate the front of our church.

January 1975, Remodeling of the front of the church was completed.

August—Mount Pleasant Church observed its 100th Anniversary with revival services being held the week of August 17-23. During the morning worship service, Mrs. Edwin McGee presented the church with three paintings of the different church buildings. Reverend W. H. Caldwell, former pastor from December 17, 1947 until September 10, 1955 preached Monday and Tuesday nights. Reverend J. C. McQueen, pastor from November 11, 1955 to October 16, 1962, preached on Wednesday and Thursday nights. Reverend Latt Beshears, Superintendent of Missions in the Carolina Association and pastor of Mount Pleasant from March 10, 1946 until October 11, 1947, preached on Friday and Saturday nights.

On Thursday, the 100th Anniversary, Sister H. I. Shumaker and Brother James C. McNeil were recognized as being son and daughter of the founder of the church, Brother James Oliver McNeil. After service the congregation went to the Fellowship Hall where a three tier birthday cake was served along with other refreshments.

Mount Pleasant has all the church organizations.

HOME MISSIONS REPORT

The Department of Church Extension reported 38 new churches and 81 new missions begun in 1974. Besides New Work Seminars being held on the campus of each of the six seminaries, the department sponsored 50 seminary students to work in special projects in apartment complexes, blue-collar communities and resort areas. Pilot projects were begun in exploring ways to minister to apartment dwellers, mobile court residents and weekend outreach ministries for college students. Forty-three of the churches receiving financial support from the department in 1974 achieved self-support. The Department of Language Missions led in establishing 96 new language culture congregations during the year and participated in the support of 950 language missionary personnel serving among 30 ethnic groups.

The 1974 Annie Armstrong Easter Offering for Home Missions climbed to \$8,130,142, a gain of 18.1 percent over the record offering of the previous year. The goal was \$7.2 million. The board received \$6,939,380 through the Cooperative Program, an increase of 11.2 percent over 1973. Gifts to the Annie Armstrong Offering from churches in the Brushy Mountain Association were \$5,275.

Respectfully submitted,
Harold Tedder

FOREIGN MISSIONS REPORT

The sending out and maintaining of overseas missions is primarily the concern of the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board. At the close of 1974 the Board had an overseas missionary staff of 2,606 assigned to 82 geographical areas. This brings the total number appointed since 1845, the year of the forming of the SBC, to 5,442.

Evangelism and church development are central to the objectives of missions. The objectives being: making disciples, maturing disciples in the fellowship of local churches, and developing churches into a cooperative effort for continued outreach.

Representative of activities in evangelism and church development during 1974 were work in: radio and television, religious education promotion, lay leadership training, stewardship, camps and conferences, women's work, men's work and music. Choirs from Bahamas, Mexico, and Austria performed in the U.S. Telephone evangelism was used in Taiwan.

Evangelistic campaigns were conducted in many lands. The first baptisms were reported in Surinam (Dutch). Several countries reported church building programs. Zambia, French West Indies, and Barbados organized new Baptist Conventions. A woman was elected president of the Dominican Baptist Convention.

Strong churches must have capable and well trained leadership from among THEIR churches. Educational institutions under Baptist auspices in various lands may include all levels from kindergarten through universities, as well as theological schools and Bible Institutes.

As literacy rises and vigorous churches develop, an adequate supply of Christian literature increase is important. In 1974 there were 15 countries represented at the meeting of the Advisory Committee for the Baptist Spanish Publishing House in El Paso, Texas. Other new literature work includes new hymnals in different dialects and languages, as well as new Sunday School literature.

Baptist medical work often opens doors for evangelism. In cooperation with national medical personnel, this witness is expressed by Southern Baptist through hospitals, dental clinics, dispensaries, day clinics, nursing schools, and other health care ministries in overseas lands.

Social service ministries include agriculture programs, goodwill and community centers, orphan homes and direct relief. Response to the hurricane in Honduras and flooding in Bangladesh gave a new thrust to Southern Baptist work as the Foreign Mission Board served as a channel for relief and reconstruction.

At the end of 1974 Southern Baptist contributions for Foreign Missions totaled \$44,203,185. The 1974 Lottie Moon Christmas offering goal of \$23 million was exceeded. Approximately 50% of SBC Cooperative Program funds is made available annually for Foreign Missions. Still needed urgently on overseas fields are land, buildings and equipment.

Baker James Cauthen, Exec. Sec., Foreign Mission Board, SBC, says "Standing as we are upon the threshold of the last quarter of this century, we are deeply aware of the escalating demands for a greater Christian witness than has ever yet been given. . . It is important that new

plans be made, fresh insights be gained, larger resources be provided, and forward steps be undertaken."

Respectfully submitted,
Rena Spicer

STATE MISSIONS REPORT

Southern Baptists' compassion for world missions must also include the real needs of our own counties and state. State and associational missions are indeed part of the world mission imperative. Without neglecting distant lands, we must continue to build a strong state missions program throughout North Carolina.

State missions can be divided into two major categories: (1) STRENGTHENING ministries and (2) LENGTHENING ministries.

Strengthening ministries help develop local church organizations such as Sunday School, WMU, Church Training, Brotherhood, etc. These programs enable local churches to realize their own mission potential. Workshops, seminars, and conferences are conducted throughout the year for the development of local church programs.

The second type of state missions are those ministries that lengthen the local church's witness. These are cooperative efforts requiring the resources of more than one church or association. Examples of these programs are resort missions, deaf ministries, chaplaincy ministries, city and metropolitan missions, etc. Many of these ministries are co-sponsored by district associations and the Southern Baptist Home Mission Board.

All state mission ministries are in some way cooperative efforts of local churches and associations. Church and associational development, in fact, is one of the primary goals of state missions in North Carolina. The purpose is to build strong "mission stations" across the state as a foundation for the overall support of world missions, christian education, and benevolences.

State missions in North Carolina is supported by the Cooperative Program and annual State Missions Offering in September. One of the finest works of the state mission program is the Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute in Hendersonville. At the present, 217 students are enrolled for the fall quarter which began August 26; 171 from North Carolina, 42 from South Carolina and four from other states. The students range in age from 25 to over 55. Fruitland equips many ministers to do a far better job in their ministry than they could otherwise do. Most of these cannot for various reasons attend the seminary and this is certainly the next best thing to do.

Respectfully submitted,
Hunter Church

HOMES FOR THE AGING REPORT

There has never been a year in the history of your Baptist Homes when more people have sought the services of the Homes. This has been true particularly of the aging sick person. Almost daily calls come from older persons, and their families, inquiring about admission to one of your five resident Homes and the Skilled Nursing Care Facility of the Homes. We can minister to only 230 persons at any given time.

Gifts for 1974-75 from our Baptist Churches, through the Cooperative Program and through the 3rd Sunday of February Offering for the Homes, reflect a very encouraging increase. This is great, and we are grateful especially since four out of every five persons who live in our Homes depend upon these love gifts for their care! Your love gift is a life-line to these deserving older persons, and they could not be cared for in the majority of cases, if it were not for you.

The most exciting development in the family of your Baptist Homes for the past year has been the experience of obtaining one of the most beautiful locations in the Blue Ridge mountains of North Carolina for the proposed Western North Carolina Baptist Home. This site is a twenty-one acre tract of land overlooking the city of Asheville, better known as the Pearson Estate, on Richmond Hill, in Northwest Asheville. God Himself, we feel, has guided us in discovering this beautiful site.

Plans are in the making now to raise \$1,000,000 for the construction of this new proposed Western North Carolina Baptist Home. These plans initially will include 50 rooms for resi-

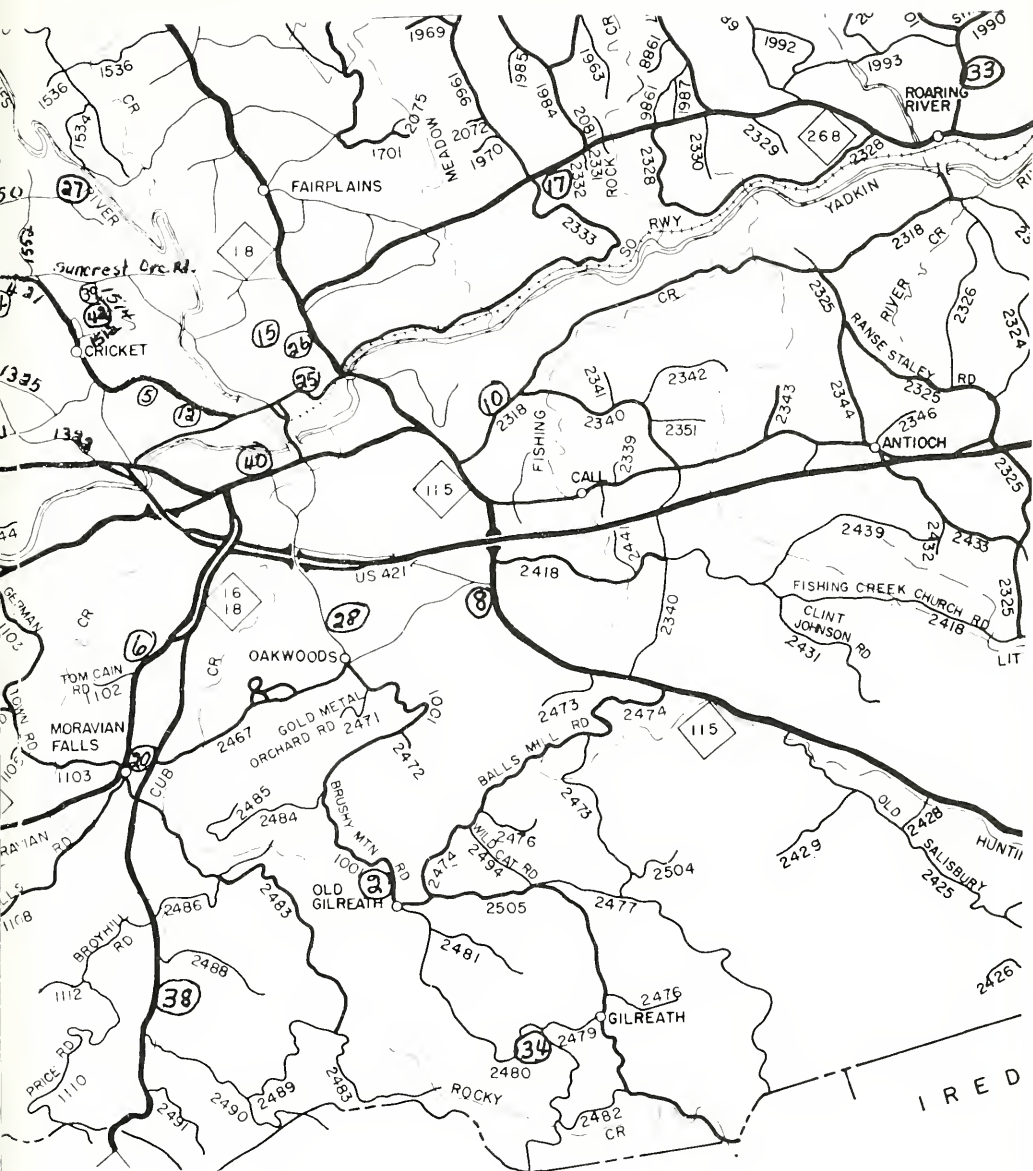


CODE CHURCH

- 1 Beaver Creek
- 2 Bethany
- 3 Boiling Springs
- 4 Calvary
- 5 Cricket
- 6 Cub Creek
- 7 Davis Memorial

- 8 Edgewood
- 9 Elk
- 10 Fishing Creek
- 11 Friendly Grove
- 12 Gordon
- 13 Goshen
- 14 Harmony

- 15 Hinshaw Street
- 16 Lewis Fork
- 17 Liberty Grove
- 18 Little Rock
- 19 Millers Creek
- 20 Moravian Falls
- 21 Mt. Carmel



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| 22 Mt. Pleasant | 29 Pilgrim | 36 Sharon Walker |
| 23 Mt. Zion | 30 Pleasant Grove | 37 Stony Hill |
| 24 New Hope | 31 Pleasant Home | 38 Walnut Grove |
| 25 N. Wilkesboro First | 32 Purlear | 39 Welcome Home |
| 26 N. Wilkesboro Second | 33 Roaring River | 40 Wilkesboro |
| 27 Oak Grove | 34 Rocky Creek | 41 Zion Hill |
| 28 Oakwoods | 35 Shady Grove | 42 Assoc. Office |

dents, with living room, dining room, library, chapel and activities room, and other necessary rooms. With the completion of this Home, North Carolina Baptist will be enlarging their base of ministry to almost 300 persons, and older people from Western North Carolina will have a facility to serve the hundreds in their area who will need the service of this lovely facility now and in the years to come.

Pray for the ministry of your Baptist Homes for the Aging. Give as liberally as possible that the overwhelming needs of older people in our midst might be met more adequately. Visit the Homes and see first-hand the personal joy that your gifts bring. Know that your ministry to even one of these dear older people is a ministry as unto Christ Himself.

Respectfully submitted,
Bill Sturdivant

1975 BIBLICAL RECORDER REPORT

Baptist state papers claimed more attention than usual at the 1975 meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention this year. It was revealed that they had played a tremendous part in the growth of our denomination as emphasis was placed on the celebration of the 50th Anniversary of the Cooperative Program. All 33 editors of state papers were introduced and a comparison of circulation of each paper was made for the period 1925 to 1975. Some of the publications were not in existence 50 years ago, but this in itself reveals something of Southern Baptist growth.

In giving a special committee report on state papers, H. Franklin Paschall, pastor of First Church, Nashville, Tenn., reported that present circulation is 1 3/4 million and recommended that the convention reaffirm its goal of getting a state paper into two million Baptist homes by 1980. The committee recommended a vigorous campaign in all states to help accomplish this, and also recommended that state papers be incorporated in all local church budgets.

The BIBLICAL RECORDER is one of those 33 state papers. For 142 years it has gone into the homes of North Carolina Baptist and now has a circulation of above 112,000. It is our hope that North Carolina churches will take seriously the recommendation reaffirmed at the Southern Baptist Convention that state papers be incorporated in local church budgets for all their families. Already more than 1,000 churches in North Carolina are doing this, and more congregations do so each year. What a ministry for only \$2.50 per year in the church budget plan.

The BIBLICAL RECORDER has covered many sensitive issues this past year. We are extremely grateful to the editor and his staff for an outstanding job in making us aware of the issues relative to our denomination.

The RECORDER continues to operate on a limited budget, and with an altogether too small staff. Local churches can help by understanding these limitations, and by renewing their subscription plans promptly. In this time of inflation and sky-rocketing postage costs, may we all stand behind the staff so that we can continue to have one of the best state papers.

Respectfully submitted,
Virginia Jarvis

MUSIC REPORT

The Associational Music Director has served as consultant to several of the directors of the local churches in matters concerning the music program of their church.

He also has charge of the music for the annual meetings of the association.

Respectfully submitted,
E. E. Sloan

BAPTIST FOUNDATION REPORT

Chartered in 1919 by the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc. has sought to assist individuals throughout the state in their estate

planning, providing ways to support Baptist institutions and mission work on a permanent basis. Property and funds placed with the Baptist Foundation are invested by a convention elected board of directors with the income paid annually to the institution or mission cause designated by the donor.

Individual assistance is provided Baptists throughout the state in the establishment of trusts that not only benefit the donor but also support the Christian ministries of our denomination in a lasting, perpetual way.

New gifts to be held in trust by the N. C. Baptist amounted to \$635,079.57 during 1974-75 fiscal year. Added to the market value of assets held from previous years brings the total value to \$2,331,559.67 as of June 30, 1975. Income from all assets held by the Foundation which have been or will be distributed to designated beneficiaries in the near future amounted to \$76,257.82 for the past 12 months.

For services offered by the Foundation to individuals or churches, please contact Mr. Edwin S. Coates, Executive Secretary, N. C. Baptist Foundation, Inc., P.O. Box 26508, Raleigh, N. C. 27611 (Tel. No. 919-833-1605). All inquiries and assistance are considered confidential and personal matters.

Respectfully submitted,
Edwin S. Coates

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY REPORT

The world's population reached an estimated total of four billion people in 1974—most of them without ready access to the Word of God. These people constitute the challenge confronting the churches, dedicated to the proclaiming of the Gospel, and the Bible Societies, dedicated to the translation, publication and distribution of God's Word.

The publication of the Word of God requires technical skill, scholarly expertise, and selfless devotion to the communication of the sacred text. The Bible Societies of the world have assumed this task, providing Scriptures in whatever languages, formats and varieties are required. But the challenge to the Bible Societies is multiplying even faster than the population increase, for new developments in Scripture translation and publication are opening up vast new audiences to God's Word.

During 1974, 252,956,174 Scriptures were distributed throughout the world by the United Bible Societies. Of these, 87,102,185 were distributed in the United States.

The American Bible Society gives special thanks to the Southern Baptist Convention for its close and continuing cooperation with the ABS in supporting the Bible cause.

BAPTIST COLLEGES REPORT

"Higher education in America is largely the product of the Christian church. For example, between 1635 and 1860, churches founded 175 of the 182 permanently established colleges. (In North Carolina, three Baptist colleges were begun during this period: Wake Forest in 1834, Chowan in 1848, and Mars Hill in 1856.)

The growth of state-supported colleges is a relatively recent development. In 1860, only 17 American colleges were listed as public institutions. In reality, state colleges were built on a foundation laid by two centuries of Christian higher education.

The continuation of North Carolina Baptist colleges is squarely based on biblical and theological realities. God is creator, redeemer, and sustainer of all life. All knowledge, therefore, comes from God. In Christian higher education, the student is discovering truths which stem from God. The educational task should be a reverent adventure of the mind into whatever knowledge may come.

North Carolina Baptist colleges hold these truths as central to the education of all people:

1. All truth is of God, and Jesus Christ is the integrating center of all truth.
2. The Christian college has as its purpose the discovery, preservation, and transmission of truth.
3. The Christian college has the responsibility for transmitting particular ethical and moral values as reflected in Scripture, especially in the Ten Commandments, as interpreted by the Sermon on the Mount.
4. The Christian college differs from other ventures in higher education through its belief in

the nature of truth, the nature of God, and the nature and destiny of man. The mission of the Christian college is an essential part of the Christian mission.

5. The churches need ministerial and lay leadership who have been broadly educated from the perspective of the Christian world view.
6. The world needs the witness of the Christian college, where education takes place in light of faith and where faith is viewed in light of education."

Respectfully submitted,
Allen Laymon

ORDINATION COMMITTEE REPORT

On April 13, 1975, your Ordination Committee met at the First Baptist Church of North Wilkesboro for the purpose of examining Brother Paul Fairchild. After a period of questioning Brother Fairchild, the committee recommended to the Davis Memorial Baptist Church that Brother Fairchild be ordained into the Gospel Ministry.

Respectfully submitted,
Allen Laymon

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

The Southern Baptist Convention Annuity Board serves as a life line of support for 10,034 retired pastors and other church-related workers or their widows. It also holds in trust and invests retirement contributions from 38,000 pastors, other church staff and denominational employees—which will be converted into annuity benefits when they retire.

In December, 1974, the Board issued a 13th Check to annuitants. The 13th check is issued above and beyond the 12 regular monthly benefit checks.

STATISTICAL HIGHLIGHTS, 1974

Retirement Plans	Total Members	Insurance	Total Members
Plan A	26,390	Health Insurance	14,449
Plan B	18,301	Group Life (churches)	8,035
Plan C	5,730	Group Life (agencies)	12,704
Total Benefits (ret.)	\$15,452,446	*Life Benefit Plan	3,664
Relief Benefits	\$216,513		
Relief Recipients	409	*Closed to new members	

In North Carolina 2134 churches and associations and 2616 staff members are currently participating in the Southern Baptist Protection Program. In the Brushy Mountain Association there are 24 churches and the association with 27 persons participating.

Respectfully submitted,
Clyde Church

CHURCH TRAINING REPORT

Training remains as one of the most urgent needs of the church today—training better to perform our jobs as teachers, church officers, or deacons; training to become more meaningfully involved church members; training to apply the Bible to the demands of modern-day living; training to witness; training to be workmen "that needeth not to be ashamed."

The state of Church Training in most of our churches is about like the state of the temple before King Josiah sent workers to restore it (II Chronicles 34). Even the most sacred book of the law had lain forgotten in the temple. Church Training is a sacred treasure that needs rediscovering in our churches. It's time to dust it off and put it back to work, not as a relic of the past but as a driving force for the present and the future.

Your Associational Church Training sponsored two events during the year: the M-Night

program, which was rather well attended, and a Youth Rally, which was not well attended. A questionnaire was sent to you through the associational newsletter to try to get some information for the benefit of your Church Training officers regarding your current programs and needs in Church Training, but virtually none of these questionnaires were returned.

We in Church Training hope to be able to provide some training opportunities for you during the coming year, even if your church does not have a Church Training program, and we stand ready to assist you, whether you be few or many. We believe wholeheartedly in training, whenever it's conducted, but we also still believe that church is the Sunday night place to be!

Respectfully submitted,
Carl R. Elledge

EVANGELISM REPORT

All churches will receive Proclamation '76 Planning Calendar booklets for 1975-76 and other revival materials. Each church is encouraged to plan a Simultaneous Revival during the spring (March or April) of 1976. If you do not have a simultaneous revival, every Baptist church is urged to plan a dynamic revival effort in the spring of 1976. The Brushy Mountain Association has a Lay Evangelism School planned for February 23-26, 1976 followed by simultaneous revivals in March or April. We encourage all the churches to take part in this.

The continuing response of youth and adults to Lay Evangelism Schools has been significant. In the past 3 1/2 years, 12,774 youth and adults have shared in this lay witness training from 1,007 churches and 55 associations. Also, 107 pastors from nine other associations have participated in Pastor's Retreats dealing with Lay Evangelism Schools. Five other associations have planned Lay Evangelism Schools during the fall of 1975.

"BE RECONCILED TO GOD AND MAN" was the theme of the 29th Statewide Evangelism Conference at War Memorial Auditorium, Greensboro, February 3-5, 1975. Over 2,400 pastors and lay persons heard excellent speakers emphasize various phases of evangelism.

The following churches gave me a report of their revivals:

Liberty Grove—the pastor felt they had a very successful revival with a significant number of rededications. At the end of the revival they had a note burning.

Fishing Creek reports 10 for baptism and 3 by letter

Pleasant Home—3 baptisms: Walnut Grove reports 1 profession of faith

Moravian Falls—Spring Revival, 7 baptisms (Fall Revival scheduled in October)

Bethany reports successful revivals: Mt. Carmel, baptised 13, 16 professions

Lewis Fork—reports a great revival with 24 baptisms: Purlear, 9 baptisms

At the writing of this report many churches haven't had their revival this year.

Let us rejoice in the leadership of the Holy Spirit in wonderful revival meetings, city-wide crusades, and evangelism clinics during the past year.

The 30th Statewide Evangelism Conference will be at the Civic Center Auditorium, Asheville, during February 2-4, 1976.

Remember to pray daily for the work of evangelism in all the churches of our state, nation and world.

Respectfully submitted,
Sherrill D. Wellborn

W. M. U. REPORT

The first task of Woman's Missionary Union is to teach missions. Church WMU organizations provide the setting in which missions are taught. The five age-level organizations, Baptist Women, Baptist Young Women, Acteens, Girls in Action and Mission Friends involve members in learning experiences and encourage them to become better informed about missions through regular reading of the WMU magazines.

Training leadership is an ongoing concern of WMU. An associational leadership conference was held in October in the Wilkesboro Church in which new materials and emphases were presented to all age-level leaders and workers. New leaders were briefed in manual study and encouraged to pursue further study individually.

One new organization with all age-level organizations was formed in the Zion Hill Church and leadership training was provided by the associational officers.

Mission support as defined by WMU includes praying, giving and going. Prayer is offered daily through the use of missionary birthday lists in the WMU periodicals and Weeks of Prayer for Home and Foreign Missions and a Season of Prayer for State Missions. Participation and involvement in these emphases were promoted and supported through the association. We have no statistics to show the effectiveness of our praying, but we have a commendable record in the more tangible aspects of support in our giving.

For a second year the Annual Meeting was shared by WMU and the Brotherhood. A Missions Rally was held in the Mount Pleasant Church in April with good attendance. Rev. R. L. Stocks, missionary to Mozambique, was guest speaker.

A Boys and Girls Day Camp held in May was supported by WMU and involved several WMU associational officers on the staff.

Your director was personally involved as guest speaker in several churches for Mother-Daughter Banquets, inspirational meetings, and for mission study. The officers are grateful for your interest, your prayers and support, and for allowing us to serve God through this organization.

Respectfully submitted,
Lillian L. Foster, Director

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

Believing that cooperation of churches through the association was important for the development of the churches and the spread of the gospel to the ends of the earth, several years ago our association began correlating its work through a Director of Missions. For the past five years this work has been under the direction of Rev. I. V. Couch, assisted by Mrs. Albert Holman, office secretary.

Each month the Director of Missions makes a report to the Chairman of the Missions Committee and the State Baptist Convention. All are aware that complete activities in the association cannot be listed on a form sheet, but the digest of these reports will give an idea of his activities during the year.

We, the Missions Committee, take great pride in presenting our report.

Messages in churches	49	VBS Conference, Wingate	1
Visits to churches	57	Director of Missions Conf.	
Ministers Conferences	10	New Orleans	1
Executive Promotion Committee	4	Revivals	3
Missions Committee	4	Region 7 Directors of Missions	
Conferences (Individual & group)	94	Fellowship	2
Committee Meetings	33	Funerals conducted or attended	6
Associational Promotion		Hospital visits & others	30
Meetings	13	January Bible Study taught	21
Assoc. General Meetings	2	Southern Baptist Convention	1
Denominational causes presented		Miami Beach	
in churches	59	Day Camp	1
Radio Programs promoting		Dad and Lad Camp	1
Baptist work	54	Planned Christmas dinner and	
Spoke in special services	8	picnic for ministers	2
Attended state meetings	10		
Meetings in other associations	7	Newsletters published and	
Directed Church Training		distributed	5,358
Leadership Conf., Caraway	1	Miles traveled	15,019
World Missions Conferences	2	Interim pastor at Millers Creek for 2	
(Catawba & Tar River Assoc.)		months by permission of Missions	
		Comm.	
Assoc. VBS Meetings	2		

The Brushy Mountain Baptist Association is a vital link between the church and World Missions. A week of Prayer for associational missions is set aside every year to emphasize associational missions. We did not ask for an offering this year—we asked for your prayers and cooperation in associational work.

Let us pray for our Director of Missions, Rev. I. V. Couch. He has led us in a marvelous way for the past five years. We have more churches and more pastors cooperating with associational work now than at any other time in the history of our association. Financially we are in the best condition we have ever been. Our associational property is also in good repair, thanks to the hard work and the leadership of Mr. Couch. We thank God for him every day.

Let us pray for outreach of churches and pastors. We have 41 churches and 2 missions and pastors for each of these. We are sorry we cannot report 100% cooperation from churches or pastors. It is so true, "As the pastor, so goes the church." So pastors, we are counting on you.

Let us pray for our associational leaders. This is a large group of people. We have 13 general officers of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association, 105 other officers and committee members, the Executive Promotion Committee of the association which transacts the business of the association between sessions of the association. This committee is made up of the 13 general officers, pastors of the 41 churches and one member elected from each of the churches and the two missions to represent them. The committee meets once each quarter.

This is a large group of officers and committees (200 individual offices and committees) to work with. And that is not all, we have 9,383 resident members of our churches with 6,828 enrolled in our Sunday Schools. Mr. Couch leads and guides in WMU, Brotherhood and youth work of the association. He is also responsible for the conduction of the service during the summer months at W. Kerr Scott Reservoir.

As chairman of the Missions Committee, I challenge each of you to pray for our Director of Missions, for our churches and pastors, and for this large group of associational officers and leaders. Let's not stop with praying, let's work together to keep our association strong. Let's support Mr. Couch and our association to the best of our ability in the year ahead. Again, thank you I. V. for all you have done for God in our association.

Respectfully submitted,
E. W. McMurray

PROPERTIES COMMITTEE REPORT

The Properties Committee has been busy in the past year making improvements on the associational property.

1. A new fuel tank has been installed in the ground to take the place of the one above the ground at a cost of \$152.36.
2. The parking lot and driveway has been paved at a cost of \$990. The Duncans, who share the driveway, paid more than half the cost of paving the drive, making our actual cost \$765.
3. The Executive Committee appropriated \$1500 to be used by the Associational Properties Committee to make the needed repairs on the property.
4. The exterior of the office building has been painted and repairs made on the windows.
5. The exterior of the parsonage has been painted, aluminum guttering installed, and other needed repairs made.
6. Repairs have been made on the well house including a new roof.
7. The trees on the property are to be trimmed as soon as the leaves fall.

It is hoped that there will be some funds left to do some much needed painting in the associational office. The interior of the office has not been painted since it was built.

Respectfully submitted,
Clyde Bumgarner, Chairman

STEWARDSHIP AND COOPERATIVE PROGRAM REPORT

During 1975, we have celebrated the 50th anniversary of the Cooperative Program. Now we are challenged to turn our thinking to the years ahead. A convention wide goal has been set for \$150 million to be received in the state conventions in 1976, for Cooperative Program ministries. This would provide approximately \$52 million for SBC causes and \$98 million for state causes. Sunday, October 26, has been designated as a day of church commitment. On that day churches are challenged to adopt a Cooperative Program goal that will reflect a bold step in the support of world missions. Every church is challenged to increase Cooperative Program

giving by a minimum of 1% of the total budget income. In addition, every church is asked to consider greater support of the local associational program and indicate a commitment to this as well.

During the past year the churches of our association gave \$68,726 through the Cooperative Program. Our associational missions goal for 1976 is \$19,515. Last year our churches gave \$17,854 for associational missions. Our goal was \$18,603. If the churches would increase the suggested percentage for next year we can reach our goal.

Our goals for the coming year are:

1. Every church in the association giving something through the Cooperative Program for world mission support.
2. Every church in the association increasing Cooperative Program giving by at least 1% of the total budget income.
3. Every church in the association increasing associational mission giving by at least 1% of the total budget income.
4. We recommend that every church give at least 3% of total budget income through associational missions.

WE RECOMMEND:

1. That a stewardship chairman be elected in every church in our association.
2. That a year-round emphasis be made upon the stewardship of accumulated possessions and resources.

We appreciate the good response the churches in the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association in increased Cooperative Program giving and in associational support.

Respectfully submitted,
Paul Shoupe

SCHOOL OF CHRISTIAN STUDIES REPORT

In our School of Christian Studies (Seminary Extension) this year we offered two courses of study. The first was INTRODUCTION TO THE OLD TESTAMENT, a historical survey of the first ten books of the Old Testament (Genesis through 2 Samuel), taught by James Lambert. There were eleven enrolled. The second was FUNDAMENTALS OF MUSIC, an introduction to the basic skills in reading, understanding, and directing music, taught by Craig Little. There were forty-six enrolled in this course. This was indeed one of our finest sessions.

It is our desire to offer at least two courses this coming year. The description and date of these courses will be announced soon.

It is also our desire to keep in mind and offer continuing education courses for pastors who have not had the privilege of College and Seminary education.

Respectfully submitted,
Paul Shoupe

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

The Brotherhood of the Brushy Mountain Association has been involved in several activities during the year.

1. For a number of years the Brotherhood has worked with the WMU in sponsoring the Day Camp for third graders. This year the camp was held at the Wilkes County exposition barn. We had 36 third graders plus a staff of 14. The camp consisted of Bible study, mission study, music study, craft instruction and activity time. We believe that Day Camp is one of the most profitable days in the year for our 3rd graders.
2. The Brotherhood cooperated with the WMU in promoting a World Missions Night in the association. This meeting was not attended as we had hoped, but we feel it was inspiring for those in attendance.
3. Men and Boys Camp is proving to be one of the best activities of the Brotherhood work. The camp was May 30-31 at W. Kerr Scott Lake. We had 65 men and boys attending. The camp was designed for fellowship and inspiration.
4. The Brotherhood worked with Zion Hill Church in organizing a Brotherhood in their

church.

The Brotherhood of the Brushy Mountain Association is willing to help any church in the association when called upon.

Respectfully submitted,
Ray Shomaker

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

Eight persons from the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association attended the State VBS Clinic at Wingate College, January 6-8, 1975. The Show and Tell Workshop was held at the Cub Creek Baptist Church on February 25 with 44 present representing 16 churches. The 1975 VBS Clinic was held at Wilkesboro Baptist Church on April 24. There were 184 present representing 27 churches and 1 mission.

(For more detailed information, see Table B).

Respectfully submitted,
Glenn Byrd

BAPTIST HOSPITAL REPORT

There have been many significant developments, in several different areas, at your Baptist Hospital during the past year.

By the time this report is read the new ambulatory care unit will be open, making possible enlarged and improved services for the Emergency Room, Outpatient Clinics, Physical Therapy and other departments. Renovation of the West Wing will be complete and renovation on the South Wing will begin in early August. The third floor of the Progressive Care Unit has been remodeled to provide 26 beds, therapy room and other improved facilities for Psychiatric services.

The long-awaited EMI-scanner is now in use and is already proving beneficial in detecting blood clots, tumors, strokes and other abnormalities of the brain.

A Family Practice Center opened July 1, 1975 to offer more primary medical care for patients and also to provide specialized training for physicians who choose to enter Family Practice.

Despite the continued rise in costs for services and materials the hospital has been able to operate in the black. Gifts from the Baptist churches have been gratifying. In 1974 the hospital received \$258,898 through the Cooperative Program and \$392,000 through the Mother's Day Offering.

The Department of Pastoral Care has opened a counseling center in Raleigh, and there are plans for one in the western part of the state. The Department has established a scholarship fund as a memorial to Dr. Richard K. Young, the department's first director, who died December 31.

During the past year Mr. Reid T. Holmes retired as President of the hospital, after serving in the hospital administration for 29 years.

Gifts from churches in the Brushy Mountain Association, January—July, 1975, amounted to \$2739.40 with 26 churches contributing.

CHILDREN'S HOMES REPORT

Christian child care provided by the Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina is a cooperative mission. This mission endeavor has been carried on by N. C. Baptist for the past 90 years.

The lives of more than 3,700 people were affected in a significant way through the services of the Homes during the past year. Daily care and related services were provided 1,524 children. Of this number, 1,061 were in continuing programs while 463 received casework, counseling, and referral services. A close working relationship was also maintained with 2,178 adults in an effort to reestablish homes and strengthen family relationships.

New and exciting developments are in progress throughout the state. During the past year emergency shelters were opened in Charlotte and Forest City to meet the needs of children requiring immediate assistance. Both Broyhill Home and Milis Home will have a new cottage

for children constructed during the next year. Progress is being made to expand facilities at Odum Home. Increasing numbers of families are opening hearts and homes for the care of foster children.

A cooperative mission requires that the parties involved have a clear, common purpose to which they are firmly committed, undergirded by mutual trust, and clear communications. These three factors characterized the relationships between the Baptists of North Carolina and their Children's Homes. Through the Cooperative Program and the Thanksgiving Offering, Baptists throughout the state can share a commitment to Christian child care. In response, the staff of the Children's Homes is committed to translate this support into a dynamic ministry of love and concern for children and families in need. With God's continued blessings we will move together to fulfil our mission.

Respectfully submitted,
Horace Moree

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

1975 has been a busy year in associational Sunday School work. The two major points of emphasis this year has been High Attendance Sunday in Operation Reachout and our Sunday School Workers Training School. Both were great successes.

Our new year opened with operation "Reachout" already in progress. Not all of our churches participated in the "People Search" and "Visitation" part of this program, but all our churches did participate in the "High Attendance Sunday" that was to be Celebration Sunday for work already done. Our associational figures for "High Attendance Sunday" held on Sunday, November 17, 1974, were as follows: 5,838 total attendance, or an increase of 1,508 people over our associational average last year. Our special thanks to every church that participated.

Our second major emphasis for the year was our Workers Training School, held the week of March 17, 1975. Overwhelmed, would be one word to describe our feelings for the many good workers who attended this school. There were 197 people enrolled in our classes with an average attendance for the week of 144. There were 26 churches represented and 20 pastors attended. Thank you Millers Creek Church for your fine facilities.

The accomplishments of this year could not have been realized without the capable help of our Sunday School workers. They include Lee and Betty Church, Betty Wheless, Mary Lou Byrd and Rev. E. W. McMurray. They deserve our thanks.

We appreciate the good work being done in Vacation Bible School work by Rev. Glenn Byrd and his workers. The training offered our youth by these good people can only be described as invaluable.

Respectfully submitted,
Bryce Greene
Associational Sunday School Director

GENERAL BOARD REPORT

Between sessions of the Baptist State Convention, the General Board has charge and control of all work of the Convention except the activities designated to the Boards of Trustees of its institutions and agencies. It is composed of one member from associations with less than 20,000 membership; two members from associations with memberships of 20,000-40,000; three members from associations with more than 40,000 membership and one from each of the ten regions.

The General Board meets three times a year: at Raleigh in January, on a college campus in June or July, and at Caraway in October. In cases of emergency, other meetings could be called.

Officers of the Board are President, Vice-President and Recording Secretary. Each member of the Board is given a choice of the committee through which he will serve. The committees are: Council of Christian Life, Christian Higher Education, Evangelism, Church Programs, Missions and Social Services. For the sake of efficiency, from these committees are formed many sub-committees. Your Brushy Mountain member this past year was privileged to serve on the Missions Committee. He attended the January meeting of the Board and the Missions Com-

mittee in Raleigh. In March he attended the Orientation Session of the Missions Committee at the Baptist Building in Raleigh. The October meeting shall be held at Camp Caraway on October 14-15.

All board members are sent copies of Executive Committee Minutes. A policy of openness is practiced by the General Board. All minutes of the Executive Committee and the General Board are kept in an official record book in the Baptist Building and are open for examination by any member of a participating church upon request.

Brushy Mountain Association received its requested amount of \$1,500 from the Convention this year.

The opportunity to serve is appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,
E. W. McMurray

PLACE AND PREACHER REPORT

The Place and Preacher Committee recommends that the One Hundred Fifth Annual Session of the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association be held at Cub Creek Baptist Church the first day, October 4, 1976, with the message to be brought by a representative of the Baptist State Convention.

We recommend that the second day, October 5, 1976, be held at Fishing Creek Baptist Church, with the annual sermon by the Reverend Glenn Byrd, Rev. Sherrill Wellborn, alternate.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Vaughn Brown
Rev. N. C. Teague
Mrs. Clate Bumgarner

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

We, the committee on Resolutions, for the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association, meeting in its one hundred fourth annual session, wish to express our deep appreciation to Goshen and Mount Pleasant Baptist Churches for their hospitality and the excellent accommodations provided for both sessions.

We are grateful to the program committee for an excellent and informative program. We appreciate Dr. Howard Ford, Dr. Alton Hood and the Rev. Carl Elledge for bringing inspiring messages to the association. We welcome the visiting representatives who brought us greetings from our institutions and organizations.

We extend our thanks and appreciation to the Rev. I. V. Couch for the excellent job he has done. We are grateful for the fine work of our clerk, Mrs. Albert Holman; for the dedicated service of our Historian, Mr. J. F. Jordan. We want to express our gratitude to those that provided special music for us. To the other officers and department heads of our association, for their many services too numerous to mention, we express our sincere thanks.

We want to express our appreciation to the Rev. Gwyn Blackburn, our moderator for his capable guidance and leadership, and to extend our best wishes to the officers who will be serving this year.

We welcome the new ministers who have been called into our association and extend to them our best wishes and sincere cooperation.

We further resolve that the Brushy Mountain Baptist Association express our appreciation for the years of dedicated service to the convention and the great work of Dr. Perry Crouch. We recommend the Association express our thanks in a letter to Dr. Crouch.

Let us pledge ourselves to carry out the Great Commission which our Lord and Saviour gave to us in Matthew 28: 19; "Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, Baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost."

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. John Andrews
Mr. William Byrd
Mrs. Paul Bumgarner

Calendar of Activities 1975-76

OCTOBER

- 1 50th Anniversary Cooperative Program Prayer Emphasis in the churches
- 1 Organizational Meeting for Brotherhood at Mt. Pleasant
- 1-3 Chaplains/Wives Renewal Retreat, Caraway
- 2-3 Tri-State Urban Seminar, Hayes Barton Church, Raleigh
- 3-4 Baptist Women Retreat, Mundo Vista
- 3-4 Pastor's and Sunday School Directors Workshop, Caraway
- 3-4 Adult Sunday School Workshop, Caraway
- 3-4 Younger Crusader RA Camp, Caraway, Grades 1-3
- 6 Associational Annual Meeting, Goshen Church
- 7 Associational Annual Meeting, Mt. Pleasant Church
- 8 50th Anniversary Cooperative Program Prayer Emphasis in churches
- 10-11 Pastors and Sunday School Directors Workshop, Ridgecrest
- 10-12 Deacons Retreat, Caraway
- 12 BIBLICAL RECORDER DAY
- 13 Ministers/Wives Conference, Wilkesboro 10 a.m., Lunch
- 13-17 PraiSing Clinic, Wilkesboro Church
- 14 Council on Christian Higher Education, Caraway
- 14-15 General Board Meeting, Caraway
- 15 50th Anniversary Cooperative Program Prayer Emphasis in churches
- 17-18 Baptist Young Women Convention (western)
- 17-18 Younger Crusader RA Camp, Caraway
- 20-24 Children's Sunday School Workshop Tour
- 22 50th Anniversary Cooperative Program Prayer Emphasis in churches
- 23 Church Training Quarterly Meeting, Association office, 7:30 p.m.
- 23-25 Senior Adult Retreat, Caraway
- 24-25 Festival of Arts, Caraway
- 24-26 Baptist Women Houseparty, Ridgecrest
- 27 Sunday School Workshop, Mt. Pleasant
- 28 Sunday School Workshop, Goshen
- 28 Sunday School Young Adult/Preschool Conference, Charlotte
- 29 50th Anniversary Cooperative Program Prayer Emphasis in churches
- 30 WMU Workshop
- 30 Sunday School Young Adult/Preschool Conference, Greensboro
- 31 Nov. 2 Marriage Enrichment Retreat
- 31 Nov. 2 Fall BSU Convention

NOVEMBER

- 2 HIGH ATTENDANCE IN SUNDAY SCHOOL
- 2-9 RA Week
- 3 Ministers/Wives Conference, Wilkesboro, 10 a.m., Lunch
- 3 Missions Committee Meeting, 6:30 p.m., Wilkesboro
- 3 Executive Committee Meeting, 7:30 p.m., Wilkesboro
- 3-5 Urban Training Conference, Charlotte
- 4 Sunday School Quarterly Meeting, Association Office, 7:30 p.m.
- 7-8 Youth Council Retreat, Caraway
- 9-10 State Laymen's Conference
- 10-12 BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION, ASHEVILLE
- 16 American Bible Society Day
- 17 "M" Night
- 20 WMU Planning Meeting
- 21-22 Associational Acteens Officers Retreat, Mundo Vista
- 25 Lay Evangelism Workshop, Wilkesboro, 7:30 p.m.
- 26-29 International Student Conference
- 27 Thanksgiving Day
- 30 Dec. 7 WEEK OF PRAYER FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS AND LOTTIE MOON OFFERING

DECEMBER

- 25 Christmas Day
- 28 Student Day at Christmas
- Brotherhood Emphasis for December: Program for the relief of needy with food/blankets and clothing/toys

JANUARY

- 4-9 January Bible Study Week, Hosea
- 5 Ministers/Wives Conference, Wilkesboro, 10 a.m., Lunch
- 16-17 Home Mission Teacher Training, Caraway
- 20-21 S.S. Planning Workshop, Baptist Building, Raleigh
- 22 Church Training Meeting
- 23-24 Laymen's Witnessing Institute, Gardner-Webb College
- 23-25 High School Senior's Retreat, Caraway
- 25 Baptist Men's Day
- Brotherhood Focus for January: Kids and Dads Get-together

FEBRUARY

- 2-4 Statewide Evangelism Conference, Asheville Civic Center
- 8-14 WMU Focus Week
- 9 Ministers/Wives Conference, Wilkesboro, 10 a.m., Lunch
- 9 Missions Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro, 6:30 p.m.
- 9 Executive Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro, 7:30 p.m.
- 10 Sunday School Quarterly Meeting, Assoc. office, 7:30 p.m.
- 13-15 Marriage Enrichment Retreat
- 14 Summer Missions Interviews, Student Center, Hickory
- 19 WMU Planning Meeting
- 20-21 BYW Pastors/Wives Conference, Mundo Vista
- 23-26 Lay Evangelism School
- 26-27 Regional Choir Festivals
- Brotherhood Focus for Feb. Sweetheart Banquet

MARCH

- 1 Ministers/Wives Conference, Wilkesboro, 10 a.m., Lunch
- 5-6 Day Camp Workshop, Mundo Vista
- 5-6 Language Missions Conference, Caraway
- 7-13 WEEK OF PRAYER FOR HOME MISSIONS
- 12-13 Youth Choir Festivals, Green Street Church, High Point
- 16-17 WMU Annual Session, War Mem. Auditorium, Greensboro
- 17-19 State VBS Clinic, Wingate
- 19-20 BSU Basketball Tournament
- 20 Convention Wide Associational Youth Night "Super Six Celebration"
- 23-25 Gardner-Webb College Ministers Conf., Boiling Springs
- 26-27 State Handbell Festivals, First Church, Greensboro
- 26-28 Missions and Ministries Conference, Southeastern Seminary
- 28 Apr. 11 Simultaneous Revivals
- 29-31 Preaching-Worship Workshop, Raleigh

APRIL

- 2-3 Weekday Early Education Workshop
- PraiSing '76, Ovens Aud., Charlotte
- 2-4 BSU Spring Conference
- 5 Ministers/Wives Conference, Wilkesboro, 10 a.m., Lunch
- 8 Day Camp Conference, Brushy Mountain Association
- 9-10 Church Library Conference, Asheville
- 12-14 Religious Education Retreat, Caraway
- 18 Cooperative Program Day
- 20 Church Building Conference, Bapt. Building, Raleigh
- 20-23 Assoc. Leadership Workshop, Ridgcrest
- 22 Church Training Quarterly Meeting, Assoc. Office, 7:30 p.m.

22-23	Church Ministries Retreat, Caraway
23-24	Youth Convention, Caswell
23-24	Weekend RA Camp, Grades 4-12, Caraway
23-25	Family Camping Weekend, Caraway
26	VBS CLINIC
27	VBS CLINIC (repeat)
26-28	Church Music Conference, Ridgecrest
30 May 1	Youth Convention, Ridgecrest
30 May 1	Weekend RA Camp, Grades 1-3, Caraway
30 May 2	Family Camping Weekend, Caraway
	Brotherhood Focus for April: Family Banquet
MAY	
3	Ministers/Wives Conference, Wilkesboro, 10 a.m., Lunch
3	Missions Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro, 6:30 p.m.
3	Executive Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro, 7:30 p.m.
6-8	Youth Ministries Workshop, Caraway
7-8	State Family Life Conf., Friendly Avenue Church, Greensboro
7-8	Baptist Young Women Retreat, Mundo Vista
11	Sunday School Quarterly Meeting, Assoc. Office, 7:30 p.m.
17-20	Senior Adult Conference, Caswell
20	WMU Planning Meeting
21-22	State RA Track Meet, Campbell College
21-23	Mother-Daughter Camp, Mundo Vista
22	Boys and Girls Camp, Third graders
28-29	Men and Boys Camp
	Brotherhood for May: Special services for Mothers & Grandmothers
JUNE	
1-8	Orientation for summer workers, Gardner-Webb College
5	Children's Bible Drill, Fruitland
7	Ministers/Wives Conference, Wilkesboro, 10 a.m., Lunch
7-12	Children's Choir Camp, Caswell
12	Children's Bible Drill, First Church, Asheboro
14	Camp Caraway Opens
14-18	Youth Ministries Week, Caswell
14-18	GA Camp, Fruitland
14-18	GA Camp, Mundo Vista
15-17	Southern Baptist Convention, Norfolk
20	Baptist College Day—Scholarship Offering—Father's Day
21-25	Church Ministries and Training Week, Caswell
21-25	GA Camp, Mundo Vista
21-25	GA Camp, Fruitland
22	Children's Bible Drill, Caswell
25-26	Baptist Young Women Retreat, Mundo Vista
28 July 2	Sunday School Bible Conference, Caswell
	Acteens Camp, Mundo Vista
JULY	
5	Minister's/Wives Conference, Wilkesboro, 10 a.m., Lunch
5-9	Week of Christian Study and Fellowship, Mars Hill
	World Missions Week, Caswell
	Childrens Choir Camp, Fruitland
	Acteens Camp, Mundo Vista
6	Sunday School Briefing Meeting, Raleigh
9-11	Acteens Leaders Retreat, Mundo Vista
12-16	Youth Conference I, Caswell
12-16	Childrens Choir Camp, Fruitland
	Acteens Camp, Mundo Vista
19-23	Youth/Adult Music Week, Caswell
	Assoc. Superintendents of Missions Conf., Fruitland

RA Camp, Camp Truett (Boys grades 4-10)
 22 Acteens Camp, Mundo Vista
 26 Church Training Quarterly Meeting, Assoc. Office, 7:30 p.m.
 26 Sunday School Briefing Meeting, Ridgecrest
 26-30 Youth Conference II, Caswell
 GA Camp, Mundo Vista

AUGUST

2 Minister's/Wives Conference, Wilkesboro, 10 a.m., Lunch
 2 Missions Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro, 6:30 p.m.
 2 Executive Committee Meeting, Wilkesboro, 7:30 p.m.
 2-6 GA Camp, Mundo Vista
 Youth Conference III, Caswell
 9-13 GA Camp, Mundo Vista
 10 Sunday School Quarterly Meeting, Assoc. Office, 7:30 p.m.
 12-14 Retreat for Exceptional Persons, Caswell
 13 Statewide Youth Evangelism Night, Greensboro Coliseum
 16-20 GA Camp, Mundo Vista
 19 WMU Planning Meeting
 20-21 Assoc. Officers Workshop, Fruitland
 27-28 Assoc. Officers Workshop, Mundo Vista
 29 On-to-College Day

SEPTEMBER

3-4 WMU Officers Workshop, Mundo Vista
 3-5 State Officers Workshop, Caraway
 6 Minister's/Wives Conference, Wilkesboro, 10 a.m., Lunch
 10-11 Brotherhood Leadership Training Retreat, Caraway
 10-11 WMU Couples Retreat, Mundo Vista
 13-15 Multi-Vention, Caraway
 13-17 Brotherhood Missionary Education Dialogues
 17-18 Mother-Daughter Camp, Mundo Vista
 19 State Missions Day and Offering
 20-24 Area Sunday School Bible Conference, South Yadkin
 20-24 WMU Leadership Tour
 26 Oct. 2 Sunday School Preparation Week
 27-28 Church Music Methods Clinics
 27 Oct. 1 WMU Leadership Tour

HISTORICAL TABLE OF THE BRUSHY MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Wilkes County, North Carolina

DATE	WHERE HELD	MODERATOR	CLERK	PREACHER	No. of Churches	Baptisms	Church Memb.
1872	Sulphur Springs (Alex)	R L Steel	G. O. Sherrill	L N Haynes	27	45	2145
1873	New Hope	R L Steel	James B Pool	W M Wingate	28	75	2175
1874	Three Forks (Alex)	R L Steel	James B Pool	Isaac Oxford	28	96	1999
1875	Buffalo (Ashe)	R L Steel	James B Pool	James McNeill	29	201	2202
1876	Oak Forest	R L Steel	James B Pool	C. C. Pool	29	125	2525
1877	Union (Caldwell)	R L Steel	James B Pool	W. A. Pool	30	90	2558
1878	Lewis Fork	R L Steel	James B Pool	Wm. Pool	30	191	2722
1879	Antioch (Alex)	Isaac Oxford	James B Pool	George W. Green	31	85	2665
1880	Bethel (Ashe)	R A Spainhour	James B Pool	James B Pool	34	195	2847
1881	Cub Creek	R A Spainhour	James B Pool	Milton McNeill	36	188	2921
1882	Macedonia (Alex)	R A Spainhour	James B Pool	W J Fulford	36	166	2930
1883	Kings Creek (Caldwell)	R A Spainhour	W E White	W A. Pool	35	204	3158
1884	Three Forks (Alex)	R A Spainhour	W E White	I W Thomas	36	146	3219
1885	Zion Hill	R A Spainhour	W E White	William Royal	36	207	3316
1886	Sulphur Springs (Alex)	R A Spainhour	W E White	W A. Pool	31	125	2943
1887	Wilkesboro	R A Spainhour	W E White	C E Taylor	27	253	2701
1888	Walnut Grove	R A Spainhour	W P Laws	W R Gwaltney	14	43	1114
1889	Mt. Pleasant	I T Prevett	J L Hemphill	W R Gwaltney	17	133	1315
1890	Little Rock	R A Spainhour	Vance McChinnis	W L Wright	17	17	1225
1891	Mt. Carmel	R A Spainhour	Vance McChinnis	W W White	18	61	1303
1892	Moravian Falls	R A Spainhour	Vance McChinnis	I T. Prevett	18	28	1283
1893	Pleasant Home	R A Spainhour	Vance McChinnis	A T Pardue	19	52	1375
1894	N Wilkesboro 1st	R A Spainhour	Vance McChinnis	W R Bradshaw	20	73	1425
1895	New Hope	R A Spainhour	Vance McChinnis	A T Pardue	20	74	1475
1896	Mt. Zion	R A Spainhour	Vance McChinnis	J. C. Blalock	19	77	1480
1897	Edgewood	J L Hemphill	Vance McChinnis	W R Bradshaw	19	89	1575
1898	Beaver Creek	J L Hemphill	Vance McChinnis	A T Pardue	18	54	1511
1899	Lewis Fork	W M Absher	Vance McChinnis	I J Beach	19	37	1574
1900	Zion Hill	W M Absher	Vance McChinnis	W R Gwaltney	19	91	1608
1901	Cub Creek	J L Hemphill	Vance McChinnis	A T Pardue	20	110	1634
1902	Wilkesboro	J L Hemphill	Vance McChinnis	S F. Conrad	20	167	1788
1903	Shady Grove	J L Hemphill	Vance McChinnis	W R Bradshaw	21	91	1850
1904	Stony Hill	J L Hemphill	John Crouch	W H Eller	21	74	1878
1905	Walnut Grove	C C Wright	W H Church	W F Staley	21	185	1999
1906	Harmony	C C Wright	W H Church	W F Staley	21	131	2080
1907	N. Wilkesboro 1st	C C Wright	W H Church	J S Farmer	22	208	2196
1908	New Hope	C C Wright	W H Church	W F Staley	22	91	2146
1909	Little Rock	C C Wright	W H Church	J W Thomas	23	120	2275
1910	Wilkesboro	C C Wright	D R Edwards	C M. Rock	23	115	2375

1911	Mt Pleasant	C C Wright	W H Church	L B Murray	23	206	2449
1912	Mt Carmel	C C Wright	R P Blevins	R P Blevins	23	156	2569
1913	Pleasant Home	C C Wright	R P Blevins	R P Blevins	23	200	2751
1914	Lewis Fork	C C Wright	R L Proffit	D M Jennings	24	166	2888
1915	Mt Zion	C C Wright	R L Proffit	D M Wheeler	24	103	2880
1916	Moravian Falls	C C Wright	R L Proffit	C H Utley	24	107	2999
1917	Edgewood	C C Wright	R L Proffit	W C Meadows	24	213	3118
1918	Beaver Creek	C C Wright	R L Proffit	S S Jennings	25	235	3251
1919	Zion Hills	C C Wright	R L Proffit	S S Jennings	26	134	3266
1920	Rhonda	C C Wright	R L Proffit	W F Staley	27	116	3267
1921	N Wilkesboro 1st	C C Wright	Vance McChinnis	G W Sebastian	27	222	3450
1922	Pleasant Grove	C C Wright	Vance McChinnis	W L Griggs	27	315	3715
1923	Oakwoods	C C Wright	Vance McChinnis	G W Sebastian	27	210	3859
1924	Harmony	C C Wright	Vance McChinnis	W L Griggs	26	169	3729
1925	Walnut Grove	C C Wright	Vance McChinnis	J L Shinn	26	233	408
1926	N Wilkesboro 2nd	C C Wright	Vance McChinnis	G G Reeves	26	168	4198
1927	C Goshen	C C Wright	Vance McChinnis	G W Sebastian	27	211	4816
1928	Mt Pleasant	C C Wright	Vance McChinnis	N C Teague	27	105	4115
1929	Story Hill	C C Wright	Vance McChinnis	W M Gilmore	27	79	4148
1930	Little Rock	C C Wright	Vance McChinnis	W R Bradshaw	28	194	4327
1931	Fishing Creek	C C Wright	J F Jordan	A E Watts	29	223	4680
1932	Pilgrim	J L Hemphill	Mrs Floyd M Jennings	Avery M Church	29	190	4660
1933	Mt Zion	J L Hemphill	Mrs Floyd M Jennings	A J Foster	28	230	4759
1934	Moravian Falls	J L Hemphill	Mrs Floyd M Jennings	Eugene Olive	28	228	4894
1935	Lewis Fork	T E Story	Mrs Floyd M Jennings	Avery M Church	28	108	4755
1936	Oakwoods	T E Story	Mrs Floyd M Jennings	N T Jarvis	28	181	4699
1937	Liberty Grove	T E Story	J F Jordan	C C Holland	28	201	4831
1938	Mt Pleasant	T E Story	J F Jordan	Isaac Watts	30	249	5168
1939	Beaver Creek	T E Story	J F Jordan	Howard J Ford	31	224	5394
1940	New Hope	T E Story	J F Jordan	Ernest V Bumgarner	32	184	5515
1941	Pleasant Home	T E Story	J F Jordan	Finley C Watts	32	212	5602
1942	Zion Hill	T E Story	J F Jordan	Alfred J Foster	33	238	5651
1943	Elk	T E Story	J F Jordan	Howard J Ford	33	310	5943
1944	Hinshaw Street	T E Story	J F Jordan	C J Pool	33	121	5964
1945	Mt Carmel	T E Story	J F Jordan	S Isaac Watts	33	342	6270
1946	Pleasant Grove	T E Story	J F Jordan	David E Browning	34	240	6509
1947	Boiling Springs	T E Story	J F Jordan	W N Brookshire	33	191	6850
1948	Little Rock	T E Story	J F Jordan	J Glenn Hultman	33	162	6571
1949	Coshen	T E Story	J F Jordan	John Wells	33	284	6799
1950	Davis Memorial	T E Story	J F Jordan	W N Brookshire	35	291	7073
1951	N Wilkesboro 1st	A W Eller	Mrs Tam S Hutchinson	Clate Brown	35	250	7255
1952	Purlear	A W Eller	Mrs Tam S Hutchinson	Gilbert Osborne	35	221	7405
	Lewis Fork			H L Johnson			
				Clete Simmons			
				John T Wayland			
				R L Franklin			
				Clate Brown			

1953	Wilkesboro Goshen	John V Idol	Mrs H G Duncan	Harvey White	36	240	7531
1954	Pleasant Home Mt Zion	John V Idol	Mrs H G Duncan	A W Eller J Glenn Hufman W H Caldwell	37	342	7833
1955	Welcome Home Cub Creek	John V Idol	Gwyn Vannoy	W R Wagoner LeRoy Thomas	37	352	7965
1956	Fishing Creek Beaver Creek	John V Idol	Thomas W Earp	A B Cooke, Jr Hunter Church	38	269	8186
1957	Zion Hill	John V Idol	Thomas W Earp	J C McQueen, Jr Henry A Morgan	39	334	8425
1958	Calvary N Wilkesboro 1st	John V Idol	W W Miles	Clyde Church Frank Walker	39	339	8656
1959	Moravian Falls Edgewood	John V Idol	T E Story	Howard Laney Heber F Peacock	39	290	8855
1960	Mt Pleasant Walnut Grove	Clyde Church	T E Story	Vaughn Brown Warren Kerr	39	404	9210
1961	Oakwoods Boiling Springs	Clyde Church	T E Story	Dean Dillard Richard Byrd	39	296	9325
1962	Little Rock Hinshaw Street	Henry A Morgan	T E Story	R F Smith, Jr Rowe W Teague	39	369	9582
1963	Millers Creek Liberty Grove	Henry A Morgan	T E Story	Fred S Miller W H Caldwell	39	267	9748
1964	Pilgrim New Hope	J Glenn Hufman	T E Story	Paul Shoupe E L Copeland	39	337	9952
1965	Wilkesboro Fishing Creek	J Glenn Hufman	R C Bailey	C A Eden, Jr C E Lawing	40	305	10,186
1966	Mt Pleasant Beaver Creek	R C Greene	R C Bailey	R Earl Adams Frank Walker	40	356	10,532
1967	North Wilkesboro 2nd Goshen	R C Greene	J C Shaw, Jr	David Osborne Harold T. Smith	40	399	10,600
1968	Pleasant Home Pleasant Grove	Hunter Church	J C Shaw, Jr	Clate Brown Albert Pruitt	40	241	10,294
1969	North Wilkesboro First Bethany	Hunter Church	J C Shaw, Jr	Allen Laymon G C Arney	41	268	10,587
1970	Roaring River Little Rock	E W McMurray	J C Shaw, Jr	Dean Simpson Gwyn Blackburn	41	251	10,937
1971	Wilkesboro Liberty Grove	E W McMurray	Mrs Albert Holman	W L Pitts Harold Rumlolt	41	324	11,113
1972	Hinshaw Street Gordon	J C Shaw, Jr	Mrs Albert Holman	Mace Johnson Ralph Stanley	41	354	11,551
1973	New Hope Wilkesboro	J C Shaw, Jr	Mrs Albert Holman	Howard Ford E W McMurray	41	317	11,712
1974	Boiling Springs Fishing Creek	Gwyn Blackburn	Mrs Albert Holman	I V Couch Carl Walker	41	321	11,800
1975	Pleasant Home Wilkesboro	Gwyn Blackburn	Mrs Albert Holman	James Weaver Alfred Andrews	41	321	12,180
	Lewis Fork			Howard Ford Alton Hood			
	Goshen Mt Pleasant			Carl Elledge			

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION OF
NORTH CAROLINA

This is to certify that the

(Name of Church)

(Address)

in church conference _____ 19 ____

Voted to make formal application for

membership in the Brushy Mountain Missionary Baptist Association, and pledges itself to support the Baptist Denomination and its program of carrying out our Lord's Commands within the Association, the State, the Homeland, and throughout the world. The "Articles of Faith," known and commonly accepted by Baptists as the "New Hampshire Confession of Faith," has been read before the congregation and approved. It further pledges itself to live by the "Church Covenant" of a Missionary Baptist Church. It declares itself to be a duly-constituted and organized Missionary Baptist Church, and will maintain this status at all times, or will voluntarily withdraw from the Association.

It understands that upon submitting this application, accompanied with a Southern Baptist Convention uniform Associational letter to the Annual Session of the Association, and if the Association received the application and uniform letter, it will be referred to the Committee on New Churches for study and investigation. The Church maintains for the year the status of Associate Membership until the committee makes its recommendation, if favorable, it will be received into full membership with all the rights and privileges at the next Annual Session.

Signed _____ Pastor
_____ Clerk
_____ Deacon
_____ Deacon
_____ Deacon

TABLE A. CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION														1975										
Association																								
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN																								
State																								
NORTH CAROLINA																								
Associational Clerk																								
MRS. DOUGLAS WOOD																								
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Rt. 4 Box 426																								
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28659																								
PASTORS & ADDRESSES																								
CHURCHES																								
County	Year organized as a church	Location	Services held twice on Sunday		Total Baptisms	Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	Present resident members	Grand total present members	No. members received from non-Baptist Churches	No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches	Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	Value of church property including pastor's home	Total church debt at end of this associational year										
			Y	N																				
Wilkes	1779	1	x		3	2	143	42	185	1	0	16000	50000	0										
Wilkes	1892	1			3	5	122	42	164	0	0		50000	0										
Wilkes	1932	1	x	x	3	5	110	60	170	0	1		42000	0										
Wilkes	1946	1	x		21	10	163	55	218	0	0		160000	16469										
Wilkes	1965	1			9	4	220	12	232	0	0	24500	85000	0										
Wilkes	1942	1	x	x	9	4	240	34	334	0	0		82000	0										
Wilkes	1942	1	x	x	9	4	240	34	334	0	0		82000	0										
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Wilkes	1893	3	x	x	3	11	199	26	225	0	0		65000	0										
Wilkes	1893	3	x	x	3	11	199	26	225	0	0		65000	0										
Wilkes	1843	1	x	x	14	10	112	23	135	0	0		100000	0										
Wilkes	1843	1	x	x	14	10	112	23	135	0	0		100000	0										
Wilkes	1822	1	x	x	14	10	453	70	523	0	0		200000	0										
Wilkes	1822	1	x	x	14	10	453	70	523	0	0		200000	0										
Wilkes	1956	1	x	x	9	4	70	24	94	0	0		50000	0										
Wilkes	1956	1	x	x	9	4	70	24	94	0	0		50000	0										
Wilkes	1918	7	x	x	5	7	180	0	180	0	0		80000	29519										
Wilkes	1918	7	x	x	5	7	180	0	180	0	0		80000	29519										
Wilkes	1915	1	x	x	4	9	15	55	250	0	0	40000	150000	8429										
Wilkes	1915	1	x	x	4	9	15	55	250	0	0	40000	150000	8429										
Wilkes	1927	3	x	x	0	21	398	113	511	0	0	35000	234600	0										
Wilkes	1792	1	x	x	56	26	19	464	65	529	0	145000	136000	25000										
Wilkes	1886	1	x	x	6	4	6	364	35	399	1	45000	130000	0										
Wilkes	1886	1	x	x	6	4	6	364	35	399	1	45000	130000	0										
Wilkes	1959	2	x	x	13	28	16	363	30	393	0	140000	235000	0										
Wilkes	1959	2	x	x	13	28	16	363	30	393	0	140000	235000	0										
Wilkes	1886	2	x	x	10	2	5	186	54	240	0	45000	120000	17146										
Wilkes	1886	2	x	x	10	2	5	186	54	240	0	45000	120000	17146										
Wilkes	1880	1	x	x	25	11	5	233	24	257	0	70000	18240	4379										
Wilkes	1880	1	x	x	25	11	5	233	24	257	0	70000	18240	4379										
Wilkes	1875	1	x	x	4	10	11	324	44	368	0	35000	19500	0										
Wilkes	1875	1	x	x	4	10	11	324	44	368	0	35000	19500	0										
Wilkes	1849	1	x	x	5	0	6	70	100	170	0	75000	0	0										
Wilkes	1849	1	x	x	5	0	6	70	100	170	0	75000	0	0										
Wilkes	1830	1	x	x	4	4	17	229	27	326	0	129000	0	0										
Wilkes	1830	1	x	x	4	4	17	229	27	326	0	129000	0	0										
Wilkes	1892	4	x	x	7	41	31	955	262	1217	11	4	900000	0										
Wilkes	1892	4	x	x	7	41	31	955	262	1217	11	4	900000	0										
Wilkes	1907	4	x	x	2	5	6	190	53	243	0	50000	0	0										
Wilkes	1907	4	x	x	2	5	6	190	53	243	0	50000	0	0										
Wilkes	1945	1	x	x	8	6	12	145	45	190	0	12000	7625	0										
Wilkes	1945	1	x	x	8	6	12	145	45	190	0	12000	7625	0										
Wilkes	1917	2	x	x	0	4	10	250	73	323	0	20000	25000	21000										
Wilkes	1917	2	x	x	0	4	10	250	73	323	0	20000	25000	21000										
Wilkes	1889	1	x	x	8	4	4	174	47	221	0	35000	95000	0										
Wilkes	1889	1	x	x	8	4	4	174	47	221	0	35000	95000	0										
Wilkes	1884	1	x	x	9	11	12	327	75	402	0	122500	104000	0										
Wilkes	1884	1	x	x	9	11	12	327	75	402	0	122500	104000	0										
Wilkes	1932	1	x	x	15	2	169	71	240	0	0	60000	60000	0										
Wilkes	1932	1	x	x	15	2	169	71	240	0	0	60000	60000	0										
Wilkes	1908	2	x	x	5	0	0	99	23	122	0	25000	1099	0										
Wilkes	1908	2	x	x	5	0	0	99	23	122	0	25000	1099	0										
Wilkes	1967	1	x	x	9	4	0	36	4	40	0	7500	0	0										
Wilkes	1967	1	x	x	9	4	0	36	4	40	0	7500	0	0										
Wilkes	1880	1	x	x	2	4	2	45	49	94	0	13550	0	0										
Wilkes	1880	1	x	x	2	4	2	45	49	94	0	13550	0	0										
Wilkes	1947	1	x	x	1	4	1	80	79	159	0	25500	159	0										
Wilkes	1947	1	x	x	1	4	1	80	79	159	0	25500	159	0										
Wilkes	1888	1	x	x	8	5	2	117	35	152	0	60000	0	0										
Wilkes	1888	1	x	x	8	5	2	117	35	152	0	60000	0	0										
Wilkes	1845	1	x	x	7	8	14	279	125	404	0	100000	0	0										
Wilkes	1845	1	x	x	7	8	14	279	125	404	0	100000	0	0										
Wilkes	1936	1	x	x	6	4	22	243	135	378	0	150000	0	0										
Wilkes	1936	1	x	x	6	4	22	243	135	378	0	150000	0	0										
Wilkes	1880	3	x	x	12	35	28	524	130	654	0	40000	330000	6508										
Wilkes	1880	3	x	x	12	35	28	524	130	654	0	40000	330000	6508										
Wilkes	1814	1	x	x	10	8	10	216	95	311	0	35000	65000	0										
Wilkes	1814	1	x	x	10	8	10	216	95	311	0	35000	65000	0										
TOTALS					321	338	396	9241	2467	12180	13	574500	4945750	155414										

TABLE C TRAINING UNION														
1975														
Association														
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN														
State														
NORTH CAROLINA														
Associational Training Union Director														
REV. CARL ELLEDGE														
Address		City	State	North Carolina	Zip									
Route 4		North Wilkesboro	North Carolina	28659										
CHURCHES		TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES												
Beaver Creek	Charles Taylor, Rt. 5, Box 592, Lenoir 28645	2	7	1	0	10	3	4	27	14	14			
Edgewood Baptist	Clarence Carty, Rt. 2, Box 484, Wilkesboro 28697	13	8	18	4	12	10	1	40	14	14			
Elk	Mr. Wade Walsh, Rt. 7, Box 40, North Wilkesboro 28659	7	15	7	14	10	2	1	66	50	50			
Fishing Creek	Mrs. Harold Collins, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606	6	6	10	8	20	4	2	56	35	35			
Goshier	Frank Carlton, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606	1	4	7	8	8	8	2	37	24	24			
Little Rock	Ernest E. Cotton, Rt. 1, Box 293, Millers Creek 28651	1	3	16	11	11	11	8	39	25	25			
Millers Creek	Brent Eller, Rt. 1, Box 64-A, Purllear 28665	1	6	10	12	15	15	2	46	30	30			
New Hope	Rev. W. A. Byrd, P. O. Box 1221, N. Wilkesboro 28659	6	16	30	6	10	6	4	92	80	80			
North Wilkesboro 1st	Steve Harless, Rt. 2, N. Wilkesboro 28659	3	8	13	12	19	20	1	56	42	42			10
North Wilkesboro 2nd	William Ellis, Rt. 4, Box 138-A, Wilkesboro 28697	2	5	6	4	4	12	2	31	18	18			
Oakwoods	Mrs. Otto Reavis, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651	1	9	16	4	7		3	40	14	14			
Pleasant Home	Charles Broyhill, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls 28654	5	5	7	4	14	1	3	36	17	17		1	
Welcome Home	Paul Snider, Rt. 6, N. Wilkesboro 28659	4	8	26	36	26			38	25	25			
Wilkesboro		8	16	21		36		1	82	56	56		12	
TOTALS									749	479	479			

TABLE D CHURCH MUSIC										1975																						
Association										Preschool enrolment (4-5 years)	Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Adult enrolment (18 and over)	Handbell ringers enrolment	Vocal ensemble enrolment	Instrumental ensembles enrolment	General music leaders enrolment	Enrolment of mission(s) of church	Total ongoing church music enrolment	Average weekly church music attendance	Church music study group enrolment											
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN																																
State																																
NORTH CAROLINA																																
Associational Music Director ELLIHU E. SLOAN																																
Address																																
325 Forest Hills Rd.																																
City																																
Wilkesboro																																
State																																
N. C.																																
Zip																																
28697																																
MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES																																
Beaver Creek	David Walsh, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606	12	20	34	21	98	99																									
Bethany	Gary Hayes, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28654																															
Boiling Springs	W. O. Huffman, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665		8	12	18	10	10																									
Calvary	Vaughn Eller, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro 28659	5	15	10	50	25	25																									
Crocket	Maynard Dancy, R. 4, N. Wilkesboro 28659	4	15	10	65	42	42																									
Cub Creek	Mary Lou Byrd, Rt. 3, Box 289, Wilkesboro 28697	3	14	7	29																											
Davis Memorial	Travis Harris, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624		4	18	26	18	18																									
Edgewood	C. A. Hayes, Rt. 7, Box 267, N. Wilkesboro 28659	9	12	22	40	26	26																									
Elk	Mrs. E. C. Eller, Jr., Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624																															
Fishing Creek	Ray Vaughn Brown, Rt. 7, Box 37, N. Wilkesboro 28659	1	4	7	15	29	29																									
Friendly Grove	Don Key, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651																															
Gordon	Bill Carson, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro 28659	10	8	1	30	1	1																									
Goshen	Charles Proffitt, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606	10	18	30	58	45	45																									
Harmony	Fred Bumgarner, Rt. 4, Box 545A, N. Wilkesboro 28659	8	10	24	24	24	24																									
Hinsdale Street		15	26	44	20	20	20																									
Lewis Fork	James Triplett, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665		30	25	55	55	55																									
Little Rock	Glenda Barker, Hays 28635	12	8	30	30	30	30																									
Millers Creek	Mrs. Rowan Molsinger, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606	19	4	26	15	32	32																									
Moravian Falls	Vernon Mitchell, Rt. 1, Box 4698, Millers Creek 28651	4	33	23	52	76	76																									
Mt. Carmel	Mrs. Betty McKew, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls 28654	15	21	21	40	40	40																									
Mt. Pleasant	Mrs. Jimmy Pearson, Rt. 1, Box 304, Boomer 28606	10	15	17	20	17	17																									
Mt. Zion	Harold Bass, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697	10	20	18	44	20	20																									
New Hope	Mr. J. T. Vannoy, Spring Park St., N. Wilkesboro 28659	10	10	25	40	47	40																									
N. Wilkesboro First	Ellihu E. Sloan, 325 Forest Hill Rd., Wilkesboro 28697	10	21	37	89	131	89																									
N. Wilkesboro Second	Mrs. Fannie Benton, 10th Street, N. Wilkesboro 28659																															
Oak Grove	Eugene Triplett, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651	12	10	30	48	56	48																									
Oakwoods	William Ellis, Rt. 4, Box 138-A, Wilkesboro 28697		25	25	18	25	18																									
Pilgrim	Charles Shumaker, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697																															
Pleasant Grove	Phil Chapman, Rt. 1, Box 239, Wilkesboro 28697	10	20	28	90	98	90																									
Pleasant Home	Rex Reeves, Rt. 1, Millers Creek 28651	6	5	20	25	30	25																									
Purlear River	Paul McNeil, Rt. 1, Purlear 28665	16	12	11	45	59	45																									
Rocky Creek	Worth Ward, Rt. 2, N. Wilkesboro 28659		2	2	18	18	18																									
Shady Grove	Carl Shoemaker, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls 28654																															
Sharon Walker	D. C. Owens, 1202 Willard Street, N. Wilkesboro 28659	2	4	11	20	23	20																									
Stony Hill	Eugene Johnson, Rt. 1, Box 300, Purlear 28665	4	7	12	15	25	15																									
Walnut Grove	Bentley Parlier, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls 28654	17	10	30	38	38	38																									
Welcome Home	Carl Elledge, Rt. 4, Box 256-D, N. Wilkesboro 28659	10	38	20	68	108	68																									
Wilkesboro	Mrs. D. R. Goodnow, 601 6th Street, N. Wilkesboro 28659																															
Zion Hill	Craig Little, 1006 F Street, N. Wilkesboro 28659																															
TOTALS																												1702	1222			

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION													1975																				
Association				BRUSHY MOUNTAIN										1975																			
State				NORTH CAROLINA																													
Associational WMU Director				MRS. ROBERT FOSTER																													
Address	City	State	Zip										Number of Organizations			Enrollment						Total WMU											
406 Highland St.	Wilkesboro	North Carolina	28697	Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acts in (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	Mission(s) of church	Total number of organizations	Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acts in (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)	WMU officers	Mission(s) of church																	
CHURCHES				WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES																													
Beaver Creek	Mrs. Myrtle Horton, Rt. 1, Box 21, Ferguson, 28624																															24	
Boiling Springs	Mrs. Wayne Greer, Rt. 1, Millers Creek, 28651																			1											4		14
Cub Creek	Mrs. Bobby Johnson, Rt. 1, Moravian Falls, 28654																			1	1										6		16
Elk	Mrs. James McNeil, Rt. 1, Ferguson, 28624																							1							4		4
Fishing Creek	Mrs. Clifton Waddell, Rt. 3, Box 512, N. Wilkesboro, 28659																							1							8		10
Hinshaw	Mrs. Frank Jarvis, P. O. Box 352, N. Wilkesboro, 28659																			1	1	1		1							15		54
Liberty Creek	Mrs. R. C. Davis, Rt. 1, Box 286, N. Wilkesboro, 28659																			1	1	1		1							7		11
Liberty Grove	Mrs. Clarence Sebastian, Rt. 2, N. Wilkesboro, 28659																			1	1	1		1							8		49
Little Rock	Mrs. Glenn Livingston, Rt. 1, Box 488, Boomer, 28606																			1	1	1		1							15		19
Millers Creek	Mrs. Eleanor McMurray, P. O. Box 86, Moravian Falls																			1	1	1		1							11		58
Moravian Falls	Mrs. James Cook, Rt. 3, Box 478, Wilkesboro, 28697																			1	2	1	1	1	4						12		39
Mount Pleasant	Mrs. Shuford Duncan, Rt. 4, Wilkesboro, 28697																			1	2	1	1	1							20		68
New Hope	Mrs. Rex Whittington, Rt. 1, Millers Creek, 28651																			1	2	1	1	3							9		16
North Wilkesboro, 1st	Mrs. Linda Blevins, Rt. 6, N. Wilkesboro, 28659																			1	1	1	1	1							20		119
Oakwoods	Mrs. Robert L. Foster, Highland St., Wilkesboro, 28659																			1	1	1	1	1							4		47
Pleasant Home	Mrs. Linda Little, 1006 F. St., N. Wilkesboro, 28659																			1	2	1	1	1							10		10
Welcome Home																				1	2	1	1	1							3		37
Wilkesboro																				1	2	1	1	1							12		129
Zion Hill																				1	2	1	1	1							20		37
TOTAL 5				10	17	10	4	18	6	65	83	173	67	107	253	80	10	783															

TABLE F. BROTHERHOOD											
1975											
Association											
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN											
State											
NORTH CAROLINA											
Associational Brotherhood Director											
MAX FREEMAN											
Address											
Route 1 Wilkesboro North Carolina Zip 28697											
CHURCHES		BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES									
Beaver Creek		Richard Edmiston, Rt. 1, Boomer 28606									
Boiling Springs		Wayne Greer, Rt. 1, Millars Creek 28651									
Cub Creek		H. Danny Wyatt, P. O. Box 309, Moravian Falls 28654									
Elk		Vernon M. Eller, Rt. 1, Ferguson 28624									
Hinshaw			10								
Lewis Fork		Hardin Shumate, Rt. 2, N. Wilkesboro 28659	20								
Liberty Grove		Tommy Nunn, Rt. 1, Wilkesboro 28697	2								
Mount Pleasant		T. L. Caudill, Jr., 1439 Westwood Lane, Wilkesboro 28697	10								
North Wilkesboro 1st		Robert Joiner, Rt. 1, Millars Creek 28651	12								
Pleasant Home		Robert C. Parker, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro 28697									
Wilkesboro		Darrell Poole, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls 28654	17	15	5	20					
Zion Hill											
TOTALS			71	42	24	101	15	14		269	8

TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP																			1975	
Association																				
BRUSHY MOUNTAIN																				
State																				
NORTH CAROLINA																				
Associational Treasurer																				
MRS. DOUGLAS WOOD																				
Address																				
Route 4, Box 426																				
City																				
N. Wilkesboro																				
State																				
North Carolina																				
28659																				
CHURCHES			TREASURERS & ADDRESSES																	
21	Number of tithe		Budget prom. or emphasis used during the year.		22	23	24	125	126	127	128	129	130	131	132	133	134			
	Simplified	Stewardship Revival	Committed to Tithe	Alt. Forward Program	None	Cooperative Program goal as percent of total budget	Associational missions goal as percent of total budget	Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	All other receipts	Total receipts	Money borrowed during the year	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction during the year	Debt retirement during the year	Church literature	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures			
	16			x	x	8	4	15561	0	15561	0	5020	692	1577	559	7017	14173			
Beaver Creek	18					10	10	13415	0	13415	0	4700	0	0	309	4676	10377			
Bethany	15					2	1	12242	855	13097	0	4531	0	0	410	895	5836			
Bolling Springs	40	x		x	x	0	0	35735	0	35735	0	6800	0	14531	675	9150	31156			
Calvary	15					0	0	19822	0	19822	0	8400	0	0	10840	19684	0			
Cub Creek	16					1.05	1.05	26722	0	26722	0	12000	7132	0	964	4650	24748			
Cypress	0					7	3	6614	0	6614	0	1878	0	600	104	2072	4654			
Davis Memorial	17					2	1.95	18459	1211	19670	0	9780	0	0	525	4939	15244			
Edgewood	8					7	3	6870	0	6870	0	2400	0	0	234	4133	6767			
Elk	50	x				7	3	32095	0	32095	0	10077	18948	0	1168	4433	34526			
Fishing Creek	0					0	0	5616	0	5616	0	1885	0	0	254	3443	5582			
Friendly Grove	13					0	0	10638	0	10638	0	4240	0	3773	123	2177	10313			
Gordon	11		x			0	0	20731	908	21639	0	9003	0	3588	421	5520	18532			
Goshen	14					5	0	14000	525	14525	0	15525	0	0	650	500	1575			
Harmony	20					3	1.5	46292	99	46391	0	15525	0	8632	655	20184	44901			
Hinshaw Street	16					0	0	67819	0	67819	15000	67819	0	9200	612	5609	61492			
Liberty Grove	17					10	2	29010	0	29010	0	12610	0	3107	964	8272	24953			
Little Rock	18			x		0	0	30544	100	30644	0	7395	14303	0	1046	6210	28954			
Millers Creek	65	x				12	4	36260	0	36260	1400	7376	0	7840	1472	16133	32821			
Moravian Falls	25			x		16	5	26166	8933	35099	0	10664	27870	2535	667	5257	46993			
Mount Carmel	17					0	0	13586	0	13586	5000	6500	6144	0	430	2573	16047			
Mount Pleasant	21					16	.015	33289	0	33289	0	7083	7130	0	1299	16099	31611			
Mount Zion	6					8	2	9128	0	9128	0	4424	0	0	189	4394	9007			
New Hope	25		x			5.1	2.4	17698	4659	22357	0	12000	560	0	550	2000	15170			
N. Wilkesboro, 1st	200	x				17	1.7	31563	0	31563	0	59806	0	158108	3272	50034	271220			
N. Wilkesboro, 2nd	9					6	4	11154	0	11154	0	5770	0	0	189	1330	7290			
Oak Grove	20					1.5	1	12531	0	12531	0	5468	0	0	130	7654	3252			
Oakwoods	19		x			2.2	1.8	24763	41	24763	0	7375	1143	3005	790	7645	19958			
Pilgrim	19					9	2	15643	41	15684	0	3840	0	7186	372	10635	52353			
Pleasant Grove	30					0	0	22618	2022	24640	0	8450	32500	0	949	13978	32377			
Pleasant Home	18					0	0	31247	0	31247	0	4120	689	3733	388	3413	12343			
Purlair	20					0	0	12110	0	12110	0	4120	689	3733	388	3413	12343			
Roaring River	1					0	0	10068	0	10068	0	3365	0	960	373	836	5554			
Rocky Creek	21					0	0	2821	0	2821	0	5468	0	0	64	671	1410			
Shady Grove	0					0	0	10072	0	10072	0	3410	1739	517	294	1658	7618			
Shony Walker	5					0	0	10365	256	10621	0	3750	0	0	226	2527	6503			
Stony Hill	14					0	6	10365	5051	29733	0	3750	0	0	226	2527	6503			
Walnut Grove	10					6	4	24682	763	25078	0	12862	1484	0	918	2993	18257			
Welcome Home	25	x				8	2	19315	7529	20078	0	11154	0	0	479	5466	90212			
Wilkesboro	118	x				11.4	3.4	105486	2631	108015	9477	38031	0	6263	1950	43968	17099			
Zion Hill	0					8	2	33106	0	33106	0	10114	0	0	1348	9892	21354			
TOTALS	0							1214926	27952	1242878	30877	363924	153832	235599	26655	318149	1098162			

TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES													1975	OTHER MISSION CAUSE EXPENDITURES										147	148	149			
Association BRUSHY MOUNTAIN													1975	Church										147	148	149			
State NORTH CAROLINA														Sponsored Missions															
Associational Superintendent of Missions (Associational Missionary)														Sponsored Missions															
Address														Sponsored Missions															
City														Sponsored Missions															
State														Sponsored Missions															
Zip														Sponsored Missions															
CHURCHES														CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES															
Beaver Creek	Mrs. Myrtle Horton	Rt. 1, Box 21	Ferguson	28624																									
Bethany	J. D. Costner, Rt. 1, Box 144	Moravian Falls	28654																										
Boiling Springs	Turner Huffman, Rt. 1, Box 791	Purlear	28665																										
Calvary	Earl Danson, Rt. 1, Box 230	Wilkesboro																											
Chickadee	Mrs. Frank E. Parish, Rt. 4, Box 318A	N. Wilkesboro																											
Chickadee	Mrs. Jack R. Taylor, Rt. 4, Box 318B	N. Wilkesboro																											
Cub Creek	Gary C. Jordan, Rt. 2, Box A-2	Moravian Falls	28654																										
Davis Memorial	Mrs. Paul Fairchild, Rt. 1, Box 707	Wilkesboro	28697																										
Edgewood	Mrs. Dennis Brannock	17 Park Rd.	N. Wilkesboro	28659																									
Elk	Mrs. Joe Wolfe, Rt. 1, Box 112	Ferguson	28624																										
Fishing Creek	Mrs. Carlos Pardue, Rt. 2, Wilkesboro	28697																											
Friendly Grove	Garnie Miller, Rt. 4, Box 399C	N. Wilkesboro	28659																										
Gordon	Lester Burgess, Rt. 4, Box 558	N. Wilkesboro	28659																										
Goshen	Rob R. Jones, Rt. 1, Box 437-B	Boomer	28606																										
Harmony	Andy David, Rt. 6, N. Wilkesboro	28659																											
Hinslaw Street	Mrs. Bob Fender, Rt. 6, Box 407	N. Wilkesboro	28659																										
Liberty Fork	Mrs. Waldon Foster, Rt. 1, Box 200	Purlear	28665																										
Liberty Grove	Jimmy Brown, Rt. 5, N. Wilkesboro	28659																											
Little Rock	Mrs. C. B. Smith, Rt. 1, Box 260	Boomer	28606																										
Millers Creek	Mrs. Eugene Carter, Rt. 1, Box 2, Millers Creek	28651																											
Moravian Falls	Mrs. Carey G. Glass, P. O. Box 121	Wilkesboro	28697																										
Mount Carmel	Mrs. Howard Pearson, P. O. Box 72	Moravian Falls	28654																										
Mount Pleasant	Mrs. Edward Pearson, Rt. 1, Box 312	Ferguson	28624																										
Mount Zion	Ray Welborn, Rt. 4, N. Wilkesboro	28659																											
New Hope	Wayne Phillips, Rt. 1, Box 289-A	Purlear	28665																										
N. Wilkesboro 1st	James Huffman, 103 Pine St.	N. Wilkesboro	28659																										
N. Wilkesboro 2nd	Mrs. Shirley Pennington, Rt. 2, Box 564E	N. W.	28659																										
Oak Grove	Mrs. Jackie Parsons, Rt. 1, Box 372	Millers Creek	28651																										
Oakwoods	Mrs. William Ellis, Rt. 4, Box 138A	Wilkesboro	28697																										
Pilgrim	Mrs. Olin Foster, Rt. 1, Box 492	Wilkesboro	28697																										
Pleasant Home	Glenn Dameron, Jr., P. O. Box 333	N. Wilkesboro	28659																										
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Zack York, Rt. 1, Box 187	Millers Creek	28651																										
Purlear	Mrs. Judy Huffman, Rt. 1, Box 310	Purlear	28665																										
Roaring River	Mrs. R. J. Reavis, Rt. 2, Box 1-X	Roaring River	28669																										
Rocky Creek	Mrs. R. J. Reavis, Rt. 2, Box 1-X	Roaring River	28669																										
Shady Grove	Mrs. Willis Walker, Rt. 1, Box 267	Millers Creek	28651																										
Sharon Walker	Burl Rich, Rt. 2, Moravian Falls	28684																											
Shroy Hill	Mrs. Herbert Taylor, Rt. 1, Purlear	28665																											
Spencer Hill	Mrs. Spencer Brynhill, P. O. Box 243	Moravian Falls	28654																										
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